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Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The general feeling is in favor of peace. The journals speak openly of it, and if Prussia is not unreasonable, an armistice will soon be made. It is believed that President GRANT has offered mediation. The Republic was declared at Lyons[] some hours in advance of the declaration at Paris.

PRUSSIANS IN PARIS.

Prussians in full uniform were seized in the square of Odéon last night. The Prussian Army is massing within two or three day's march of Paris.

PRIM ANTI-REPUBLICAN.

The NEW-YORK TIMES' correspondent at Madrid writes that a Committee of Republicans called on Gen. PRIM, and demanded that Spain make common cause with France and declare a Republic. PRIM refused, and is taking measures against the Republican movement. He has in Madrid sixty pieces of artillery and 24,000 men.

The Death of McMahon—Marshal Canrobert Wounded.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The death of Marshal McMAHON is regarded as a national calamity. Marshal CANROBERT has been wounded. The relics of McMAHON'S corps are pouring into Paris.

The circular of JULES FAVRE to the foreign diplomatic agents shows evidence of a design to treat with the enemy.

THE PRUSSIAN ADVANCE.

Laon Summoned by the Advance Guard of the Enemy—The City Determined to Resist—Positions of the Invading Armies—Minister Gambetta's Latest Bulletin.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The following official advices are made public. A dispatch from the Prefect of Aisne to Minister GAMBETTA, dated Laon, Sept. 7, says:

"A flag of truce, preceding three *corps de armée*, from Bethel, Chateau Porcien and Rheims, has just been conducted to the citadel, and has addressed to the General Commanding a summons, in the name of the King of Prussia, who left Bethel this morning. The advance guard of one corps should now be in the neighborhood of Soissons. The reconnoitering party which was driven back yesterday belonged to this corps."

THE SITUATION.

The Minister of the Interior has issued the following circular to Prefects of Departments:

The enemy is advancing on Paris in three *corps d'armée*, one of which has arrived at Soissons, in the Department of Aisne. The advance guard of this corps has summoned Laon, which shuts its gates and resists.

The interruption of telegraphic communication with Epernay and Chateau Thierry indicate the presence of the enemy at those points. Communication continues with Mézières, Epinal and Mulhouse.

There is no news from BAZAINE.

The news of the death of McMAHON has not been officially confirmed.

At Paris, order is perfect. The inhabitants received with warm demonstrations of confidence the assurances given by the Government that the city is abundantly provisioned for two months.

The Prefect of the Rhone sends word that harmony has been established between himself and the Committee which took the direction of affairs, and order prevails. M. ESQUIROS has arrived at Marseilles, where he was received with enthusiasm by the citizens. The work of revision is actively going on in all the Departments. The Garde Mobile everywhere asks to be led to Paris. Many battalions are now here or on the march hither. [Signed,]

GAMBETTA.

PRUSSIAN CRUELTIES.

The journals have stories of horrible cruelties practiced by the advancing Prussians, who, it is said, shoot women on the roadside, and terrible reprisals are demanded of the Government..... The journals say as the forests of Compeigne and Chantilly will serve as a refuge for the enemy, they should be burned.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The Prussian advance has reached La Ferte sous Jouarre, forty miles from Paris.

STRASBOURG AND METZ.

A Successful Sortie from the Former—Ten Thousand Prussians Killed—Surrender of Metz Reported.

PARIS, Sept. 6.—The French Consul at Basle telegraphs to the Government that the garrison of Strasbourg made a successful sortie on Tuesday night, killing 8,000 or 10,000 Prussians and capturing many guns. The Prussians attempted to cross on pontoons between Fort Juifs and Fort Austerlitz, and were absolutely annihilated by the mitrailleuse posted at the Fort de Pechaure. It is said that the Prussians have been decimated since the siege began by the fire of the garrison.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—News from the vicinity of Metz announces that capitulation is imminent. Travelers arriving at Brussels from Luxembourg, say the surrender has already been effected.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—It is said that Marshal BAZAINE in Metz is well supplied with provisions.

THE REPUBLIC.

Recognition by the United States—Action of Minister Washburne—Congratulations from Spanish Republicans.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The *Journal Officiel of the Republic* today prints a letter from Mr. WASHBURNE, the American Minister, declaring himself authorized to recognize the French Republic and offer the congratulations of the American Government and people, who hear with enthusiasm of the proclamation of the Republic, unstended with bloodshed, and offer every sympathy with the great movement, which is big with results, and happy for France and mankind. The letter, after recalling the traditional friendship between the two countries, closes with congratulations on the choice of JULES FAVRE as Foreign Minister.

MINISTER WASHBURNE AND JULES FAVRE.

Late yesterday afternoon Minister WASHBURNE had an interview with JULES FAVRE, at which he announced that the American Government had recognized the sister Republic of France. FAVRE was much moved. Grasping Mr. WASHBURNE by the hand, he exclaimed: "I receive the notification with gratitude and profound emotion."

GRATITUDE FOR AMERICAN RECOGNITION.

PARIS, Sept. 8—Evening.—Great crowds of the Garde Mobile and citizens, carrying the French and American flags, made a demonstration before the American Legation today of their gratitude for the recognition of the French Republic by the United States. The letter of Mr. WASHBURNE to JULES FAVRE gives great satisfaction. The people seem to be persuaded that the American Government will interfere in favor of peace.

THE RECOGNITION INFORMAL.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The recognition of the Republic by this Government consists only in instructions forwarded to Mr. WASHBURNE, at Paris, on Tuesday, after he had officially informed the President of the declaration of a Republic. Though not a formal recognition, it is deemed here in official quarters as equivalent thereto. M. BERTHEMY continues to act as French Minister here, and has transmitted several communications to the State Department during the past week. No official information of the appointment of his successor has been received.

CONGRATULATIONS FROM SPAIN.

MADRID, Sept. 8.—All classes of people here are content with the French revolution. The Republicans here have sent their congratulations to the new Government by telegraph. In view of the late important events, the Constituent Cortes has been called to meet on the 28th of September....JULES FAVRE has received the adhesion of the entire Paris Press.

PARIS.

Proclamation to the People—No Dismemberment of France—The City Ready to Meet Attack.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The following proclamation appears in extras, and is placarded about the city:

"The country is in danger. In the presence of the enemy all differences of opinion and all opposition should disappear before the general safety. Accursed be he who can retain personal desires or prejudices in such a supreme moment. The undersigned set aside all opinions save one—that it is our duty to offer our most energetic and absolute resistance—and make no condition save that the Republic be maintained. Let us all be buried in the ruins of Paris, rather than agree to the dismemberment of France."

(Signed) Blanqué, Lacambre, the Tridor Brothers, Villeneuve, Begnard, Le Vraud, Pilhes and others.

READY FOR THE SHOCK.

All the theatres have been closed, and everything has been put in readiness for the defense of the city. The Prussians are expected to appear before the walls on Friday. Every French armory is now overtasked, making and repairing arms, those on hand being generally worthless. Paris is provisioned for two months for 2,000,000 men.

THE TUILERIES.

A hospital flag, white with a red cross in the centre, has been hoisted over the palace of the Tuileries, which, with the gardens attached, is declared national property.

LONDON REPORTS.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Communications with Paris are liable to interruption at any moment. The shopkeepers in Paris, in the absence of customers, are hungry for the arrival of the Prussians. The French Yacht Club has given 500,000 francs for the wounded in the French Army.

"Paris on the Eve of Another Revolution"—The Orleans Princes in the City—Continued Praise of the Conduct of the United States.

PARIS, Sept. 8—Evening.—The *Journal de Paris* says we were on the eve of another revolution. Princes JOINVILLE, D'AUMALE and CHARTRES were in Paris. They called on Minister FAVRE, and asked to share in the defense of Paris. M. FAVRE told them their presence might be misunderstood, and, appealing to their patriotism, requested them to leave the city, which the Princes consented to do, and they have since fulfilled their promise.

PRAISE OF THE UNITED STATES.

The *Journal de Paris* says: "America had merited well of the civilized world for addressing France in the hour of peril and misfortune words of consolation and hope. By recognizing the French Republic, America opens the way of peace. It must be that the peoples of this Continent will follow her example."

L'Avenir National, one of the organs of the Government, says: "We are brought to admire the United States, which has always had a right to our respect, because she enforced her rights and conquered independence. That country is for us a living lesson and constant instruction. This may explain how highly we esteem its recognition and good wishes."

The *Moniteur Universal* makes a great display of the news of recognition by the United States. The *Siecle* has a flattering and most grateful article, and *Liberté* follows suit.

The City a Military Camp—Scenes in the Streets and at the Railway Stations—The Diplomatic Corps in Conference.

PARIS, Sept. 8—Evening.—Paris is converted into a military camp. The Mobiles and Garde Nationale dwell in the streets. On all sides are men in uniform. Regiments of cavalry and artillery are passing through the streets. The Mobiles from the provinces are billeted upon the inhabitants.

SCENES AT THE STATIONS.

At the railway depots there are many harrowing scenes. Women and children are endeavoring to leave in thousands upon thousands. Baggage is piled as high as the house, and most of the railways now refuse to take baggage. As the trains leave upon each departure hundreds are left behind; women fret and weep and children are frightened at the night.

THE CITY QUIET.

There are no Police, but a patrol of citizens, who severely investigate everybody. No places of amusement are open, as most of the artists belong to the National Guard, which at night have possession of the Boulevards. The town is as quiet as a provincial place, which is a most impressive change. The determination to defend the city is general and unyielding.

SECRET CONFERENCE OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

It has been rumored since 3 o'clock that the Diplomatic Corps is conferring, and proposes, in case of an agreement, to all go to-night to the King of Prussia.

Result of the Freedom of the Press in Paris—Intemperate Articles.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—It is remarked that the *Réveil* and *Marseillaise*, which have been revived, publish articles calculated to disturb order. HENRI ROCHEFORT has addressed letters to the editors, in which he says: "When all opinions are set aside, when the citizens arm against the enemy, an article entitled 'Reaction,' and signed by CLUSERET, which actually incites civil war, appears in the *Marseillaise*, permit me to make known to the public that I no longer, in any manner, belong to that journal."

The Prussians Looking for Civil War—Popularity of Trochu.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—Some journals say the Prussians will defer an attack on Paris in the hope of civil war; others fear they may mean to attack other places less prepared for defense.

The popularity of TROCHU is unbounded. The people all day long await his entrance to the Louvre to cheer him.

MEDIATION.

Reports in Paris—Intention of the Foreign Ministers—A Mission to the King.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—Reports are received from all quarters that mediation in the affairs of France and Prussia is contemplated. There is no cessation, however, in the efforts for national defense. It is understood that in case of mediation Lord LYONS, the English Minister, Chevalier NIGRA, the Italian Minister, Señor OLOZAGA, the Spanish Minister, and Mr. WASHBURNE, the American Minister, will go to the Prussian King's head-quarters.

WHY ENGLAND OFFERS NO MEDIATION.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The *Independance Belge* says that the fact that England offers no mediation is attributable to Earl GRANVILLE, English Foreign Minister, who adheres to his position that the integrity of French territory is no longer possible.

A MISSION TO THE KING.

The *Pall Mall Gazette's* Paris correspondent says that Lord LYONS and Chevalier NIGRA, English and Italian Ministers at the French capital, are about to go to King WILLIAM's head-quarters to negotiate a suspension of hostilities. The Republic is averse to war, but faithful always to the dignity of France.

Appeal from the New French Government—The United States Government Asked to Intervene.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—This Government received today from the Provisional Government of the Republic of France an appeal, which is addressed simultaneously to all the neutral Powers of Europe, asking the intervention of the United States in behalf of peace on such terms as France can accept without dishonor. This appeal is regarded by the President with great interest, and will probably be the subject of a Cabinet meeting to be held tomorrow, at which Secretaries FISH, COX and ROBESON will be present.

NAPOLEON.

Another Account of His Appearance After the Surrender—Grandeur of His Train—His Reception by the People.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Mr. DRUMMOND, the banker, writes to the *Post* an interesting account of the Emperor NAPOLEON while a prisoner. He says: Before long we joined the rear of the Emperor's train. The carriage was of great length. We had a good opportunity of seeing it as it passed over a bridge at right angles with the main road. First came the Emperor's own carriage, a traveling Berlin; then an open carriage; after these, two or three carriages, something like prison vans, all marked "Maison Militaire de l'Empereur," and containing members of the staff. Numbers of horses followed, some mounted by Imperial servants in liveries. The horses were magnificent animals, over sixteen hands high. The postillions wore glazed hats, gay coats and scarlet waistcoats. There were relays of horses for carriages and hacks, saddle-horses and chargers beyond price.

AT BOUILLON.

At noon the Emperor alighted in Bouillon, and walked to the hotel. The crowd of people was enormous, but was kept off by the Belgian troops. French officers of high grade, among them Prince MURAT, strolled about. The Emperor appeared at a window, and the crowd harrahed. The French prisoners were silent—they made no response. It was impossible to find food and quarters at the hotel. The Emperor dined first, then his suite and the rest, on what they could get.

APPEARANCE OF THE FALLEN RULER.

At about 2 o'clock the Emperor, accompanied by Gen. CASTELNAU, came to the door of the railway station. He seemed well, his face showing no emotion. Though he leaned heavily on the arm of the servant who lead him out he walked well. He wore a red kepi embroidered with gold, and carried a decoration on his coat. Dispatches were handed him, he sat down outdoors on the platform and wrote replies. He afterward paced up and down the platform, smoking cigarettes. He returned to the waiting-room and read the *Independance Belge* until the special train arrived, when he departed.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—The Queen has sent her *chef de cuisine* to the French Emperor at Wilhelmshoehe.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—It is reported that the Duke of HAMILTON is preparing the Isle of Arran for the residence of a member of the French Imperial family. The Prussian *Moniteur* says the Emperor as exposed himself in the battle before Sedan, as to leave no doubt of his intention to seek death.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Prince Imperial at Mons—A Great Change in His Appearance—Princess Mathilde.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 8.—The *Independance Belge*, describing the arrival of the Prince Imperial at Mons, says: "He was attended by three persons dressed in plain clothing, one of them being Capt. DUPERRES, of the navy. There being no carriage at the station, the party took an omnibus to the Hotel de la Couronne, on the Grand Place, where a dense crowd had collected. The Prince showing some alarm, the landlord pacified him, saying:

'Have no fear, Monseigneur, you are in a neutral, peaceful country, where harm cannot befall you."

After a hasty lunch the Prince left, thanking the host and the various attendants.

He is greatly changed since he left St. Cloud a fortnight ago. He looks very pale.

Soon after the arrival of his suite, consisting of nineteen persons, the Prince left Mons for Ostend, whence, on Monday, he sailed for England.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—Princess MATHILDE has been released from surveillance and conducted to the Belgian frontier.

Location of a Portion of the Administration at Tours—The Ambassadors of the Republic—Universal Suffrage.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The *Gaulois* says: "A part of the Administration goes to Tours immediately, and if need be will go to Lyons, and thence to Marseilles."

THE NEW AMBASSADORS.

It is contemplated to appoint as Ambassadors to London, Vienna and Berlin active members of the Party of the Left. It is reported that LOUIS BLANC, LEDRU ROLLIN and DUFRAISNE will be appointed Ambassadors to London, Washington and Vienna, respectively. Intelligence has been received here that the French Ambassador to Constantinople has resigned.

UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE.

No call for universal suffrage will be made until after the war is over. This seems to be the sentiment of the Paris journals.

Tours to be the Seat of Government During the Siege—All the Ambassadors to go There.

PARIS, Sept. 8—Evening.—All the Ambassadors, the Papal Nuncio included, have called upon the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and it is understood will all go with the Government. The delegates will reside in Tours during the seige. The Post-office Department, and those of the Telegraph and Finances, are already installed largely at Tours. Should that Department be invaded, the service will be removed much further south.

There is no truth in the rumor of a new loan. It is noticeable that many journals, though the stamp duty is removed, are unchanged in price owing, it is alleged, to the high price of paper. The death of McMAHON is still contradicted.

Further Particulars Regarding the Sedan Affair—McMahon's Defeat Attributed to Treason—Notes from Brussels and London.

PARIS, Sept. 8.—Not a single French flag was captured at Sedan. One of the officers burned every flag before the capitulation was completed. ROBERT MITCHEL and PAUL CASSAGNAC were among the prisoners taken there. Many soldiers who escaped from Sedan, are arriving here.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—French officers who have surrendered all attribute the necessity of McMAHON'S capitulation to treason in his own army.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 8.—While the French troops have come into Belgium by thousands only a handful of Germans have thus far strayed over the border. The Count DE PALIKAO is at Namur, where throngs of French prisoners pass hourly. Brussels is crowded with paroled French officers, captured in the recent battles around Sedan.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The *Times* and other papers deprecate the attitude of the Republicans, whose duty is plainly not to inflict on the country the consequences of a policy for which they are not responsible....The officers of the Bank of England do not contemplate a change in the rate of discount at present....An immense meeting was held at Newcastle-on-Tyne last evening to express sympathy with the French in the war against Prussia.

The Territory to be Demanded of France by Prussia—The Frontiers.

BERLIN, Sept. 8.—The part of Lorraine now in Prussian hands, and all of Alsace, probably represent the territory to be demanded from France as an indemnity by Prussia. The western frontier will begin at Esch, on the border of Luxembourg, flanking the River Moselle at about ten miles from its western bank, crossing that stream at Curney, half way between Metz and Pont-à-Mousson; then following the course of the Moselle and Meurthe, ten miles from the eastern bank of the latter to Mount Dopon. The southwestern frontier will consist of the present boundaries of the Departments of Upper and Lower Rhine (Haut and Bas Rhin.) This district comprehends Strasbourg, Saarbourg, Saargemunde, Metz, Thionville, Chateau Salins, Phalsbourg, Bitsche, Wissembourg, &c.

REPUBLIC OF ITALY.

Removed Declaration in Florence—The Crown Prince Made President—The Papal States in Danger.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—A rumor comes from Marseilles that the Republic of Italy has been proclaimed in Florence, and that HUMBERT, the Crown Prince, has been named President. The Pope still retains the services of his legionaries, though the Italians are rapidly preparing to enter the Papal States.

FLORENCE, Sept. 8.—The reported proclamation of the republic in Italy is false. All is quiet. A deputation from Rice has asked Gen. GARIBALDI to proclaim the Italian republic. The report probably originated from this circumstance. King VICTOR EMMANUEL announces his ability to maintain order everywhere, including the Papal territory, if need be.

THE MARCH ON PARIS

The Triple Advance—Distribution of the Attacking Force.

As far as can be judged from present indications, the three army corps, which are at present marching on Paris, mean to converge upon the north and north-eastern sides of the city. When the siege is fairly commenced, it will be time enough to discuss, in detail, the points open to attack, but, meanwhile, it may be useful to recall the fact that the outer-works of Paris occupy a circle of thirty miles in circumference, and that anything approaching to a close and complete investment of the city is practically impossible. The Prussian force reported at Epernay has obviously come by Rethel and Rheims to this point on the Marne, whence they will follow, at a distance of about two days' march, the corps which from Soissons had arrived at Chateau Thierry, or by still later advices had reached La Ferte sous Jouarre, all situated along the valley of the Marne. The corps which "has turned Laon," and is proceeding along the valley of the Aisne, may be expected to march straight upon St. Denis, or the point at which the first attack on the works of Paris will probably be made. In a few days the Prussian line may be expected to extend from the right bank of the Marne at about six miles distant from the nearest forts, and passing through the forest of Bondy, cover St. Denis on the north of the city, and curve inward toward the loop of the Seine on the north-west. For such a line of attack 120,000 men will not be found too many, though the rapid arrival of other corps may cause the pushing forward of siege works at other points likewise.

CITY WAR NEWS.

Meeting of French and Irish—Proposed Funeral Demonstration in Honor of Maxanal McMahon.

A meeting of French and Irish citizens was held, last evening, at Merrigan's Hall, No. 372 Canal-street. Messrs. Gothair, Vicot, Delmar and Sheargent were among the Frenchmen present. The Irishmen were represented by Capt. Kiernan, and Messrs. Marrigan, Sheedy and Dease, and Aldermen Walters, together with several others. After transacting some private business, several sub-committees were formed. Mr. MERRIGAN, the presiding officer, then made a short address, in which he denounced England for her treachery. Mr. LOUIZAIR, Capt. KIERNAN and others, made remarks, expressing their regret at the death of Maranal McMAHON. It was proposed to hold a funeral demonstration in his honor in the City and a Committee was appointed for the purpose of requesting the different French and Irish societies to join in the movement.

Schuetzenkorps Breaksden.

The New-York Schuetzenkorps, Capt. GERDES commanding, went on an excursion to Long Branch, yesterday, for the purpose of engaging in sharp-shooting practice. The principal prize is valued at $1,000. A number of ladies accompanied the riflemen.

German Immigration.

The monthly report of the Directors of the German Immigration Society, just issued, shows that during the past month only 2,276 German immigrants were landed at this port. During the same period last year, 7,545 Germans were brought here, being 5,273 more than this year. The Relief Committee expended $630 in aid of German immigrants during the past month.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

The New Master at Baliol—Lopez's Estate—A Vessel Starter to be Filled—Australian Telegraphs.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—The appointment of JEWETT, the Rationalist, to succeed Mr. SCOTT, as Master at Baliol, is sustained by the Press against his orthodox assailants....The bullion in the Bank of England has increased $350,000 sterling since last week....Mme. LOPEZ has received letters of administration in the matter of the estate of the late President of Paraguay....The Marquis of WESTMINSTER will receive the order of Knight of the Garter, made vacant by the death of the Earl of CLARENDON....Late advices from Melbourne state the Australian Government is expediting the land telegraphic system in order to connect with the India cable.

AUSTRALIA.

Movements of Vessels—New Telegraphs—Great Discoveries of Gold—Miscellaneous News from All Parts of the Island, and from New-Zealand.

SIDNEY, New South Wales, July 30, via SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—The *Wonga* takes hence twenty-two cabin passengers for England, including sixteen from Auckland. The New South Wales International Exhibition opens Aug. 30, and promises to be an immense success. The Parliament assembles on the 18th of August. An attempt to oust the Ministry is certain. The iron ship *Harleigh Castle* is supposed to have foundered, with the loss of all hands. The Russian corvette *Bayorin* sailed for Japan on the 6th; also the *Challenger*, flag-ship of the Australian Squadron, for England. The Permissive Liquor law agitation is rife. The Government promises to subsidize the present Californian mail steamship service. The quarterly statement of the inland revenue shows a considerable decrease. The International Conference to initiate a Customs' Union scheme has resolved to urge a British Protectorate over the Fiji Islands. A Law Reform Commission is sitting. ASHWORTH, a survivor of the ship *General Grant*, and six others, have been drowned in attempting to recover the gold from the wreck. The markets are stagnant. Kerosene oil sixty-four cents. Breadstuffs rising. Arrived, ships *Centurion*, *Liberator*, *Commissary* and *James Aiken*, from London. Sailed, *Kosciusko* and *Agnes Ross*, for London. Advices from Melbourne say the Governor's private Secretary visits California by this mail. SUPPLE, the barrister, has been convicted of murder. A great fire in Melbourne destroyed the Varieties Theatre; loss, $15,000. The Parliament of Victoria had been prorogued. The Government refuses to subsidize WEBB's line. The revenue shows $140,000 decrease. Arrived, brig *G. O. Michels*, from Boston; ship *Competitor*, from New-York.

Advices from Adelaide, South Australia, say the construction trains of the Australian telegraph have commenced operations. Fresh discoveries of gold have been made which promise to be permanent.

The retrenchment of the public expenditure is intended in Queensland. The Parliament had been prorogued, the Ministry having been defeated, and a general election was proceeding. Immensely rich quartz reefs had been discovered in the Northern districts. The cotton harvest was large and the sugar crop satisfactory.

New-Zealand advices state that swords from the Queen had been presented to the leading friendly chiefs. The native war had ceased, but the rebel leaders were still unscaptured. A new tariff had been imposed, under which duties are increased. The Duke of EDINBURGH and the new commander of the Australian squadron had reached Wellington. An English company offer to lay a cable to Australia.

MELBOURNE, July 30.—Lieut. BOTHWELL has been appointed the Governor's Private Secretary. All the English troops leave on the 20th of August per the Corsons.

MYSTIC BROTHERHOODS.

The Order of Harugari in Pennsylvania—The Knights Templar of Connecticut in Camp.

READING, Penn., Sept. 8.—In the Grand Lodge of the German Order of Harugari, today, a proposition for the organization of a General Life Insurance Association, under the auspices of the Lodge, was debated and tabled, the subject being referred to the State Lodges. The following officers were elected:

Supreme Grand Bard, WILLIAM ROSENTHAL, of Ohio; Deputy Grand Bard, CARL SAEBERER, of Ohio; Grand Guardian, FREDERICK HERRE, of Kentucky; Grand Secretary, JOHN OTTO, of New-Jersey; Grand Treasurer, LOUIS MUTH, of Maryland.

The new officers will be installed to-morrow. The biennial meeting will be held at Cincinnati on the first Wednesday of September, 1872. A series of entertainments are being given to the visiting delegates. The meeting will probably adjourn to-morrow.

NORWICH, Conn., Sept. 8.—Eight Commanderies of Knights Templar assembled for a grand encampment at Camp DeMolay, in this city, today. There were present Washington Commandery No. 1, of Hartford; Cyrene Commandery No. 8, of Middletown; Clark Commandery No. 7, of Waterbury; Palestine Commandery No. 4, of New-London; Hamilton Commandery No. 3, of Bridgeport; Stelmo Commandery No. 9, of Meriden; Clinton Commandery No. 2, of Norwalk; Columbian Commandery No. 4, of this city. A battalion drill was held in the afternoon, closing with a dress parade.

Yacht-Race at Newport—The Palmer Ahead.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 8.—In the race for the Vice-Commodore's Cup, at Newport, today, the following yachts started, passing the stake-boat about 9 o'clock: *Madeline*, *Magic*, *Cambria*, *Halcyon*, *Palmer*, *Phantom*, *Vesta*, *Idler*, *Sappho* and *Tidal Wave*. Wind eastward, with rough sea.

The first yacht to pass the stake-boat on the return was the *Palmer* at 6½ o'clock, having sailed the prescribed course in nine hours thirty-seven minutes and twenty seconds. Next came the English yacht *Cambria*; time—nine hours forty-four minutes and twenty seconds. Next the *Sappho*; time—ten hours four minutes fifty seconds. The *Sappho* had carried away her maintopmast and tore her mainsail. The *Vesta* had carried away her foretopmast. The *Madgie*, or *Magic*, (it is not known which,) also met with an accident. The New-York pilot-boat No. 11 towed into Newport harbor the brig *Louisa*, of Halifax, dismasted.

Fire in Baltimore—$75,000 Worth of Property and One Life Lost.

BALTIMORE, Md., Sept. 8.—The steam saw-mill of EHRMAN & BURCH, No. 210 South Howard-street, was entirely destroyed by fire this afternoon. The loss on the building, stock and machinery amounting to about $50,000, and the insurance $9,000. The implement foundry of G. W. DUBOIS & Co., and three or four small dwellings adjoining were also destroyed, causing an additional loss of probably $25,000, which is partially covered by insurance. WM. JONES was caught in the burning building and buried in the ruins.

A Domestic Tragedy—A Woman Drowns her Children, Sets Fire to her House, and Takes Poison.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—On Friday last in St. Croix County, near Hudson, Wis., Mrs. LENCHEUS drowned her two children, set fire to her dwelling-house, and then took poison. The quantity of poison she took acted as an emetic, and thus saved her life. She claims her children were drowned and her dwelling-house set on fire by a man who came to the house and then ran off, and that she took the poison under the agony caused by the loss of her children, but her story is not believed. Mrs. LENCHEUS and her husband have always lived happily together, and she appears perfectly sane. Her reason for the deed is therefore a mystery.

THE TURF.

Racing at the New England Park—Trotting at Point Breeze Park.

MANCHESTER, N. H., Sept. 8.—The fair continues to draw large crowds. The receipts, yesterday, reaching $12,000, which is, probably, exceeded today. The principal attraction is the race-course, where some fine trotting has been exhibited. The first race was for horses that had never beaten three minutes; $175 to the first, $60 to the second, and $35 to the third. There were seventeen entries and ten started. ISAAC COFF'S *Lady Alice*, of Boston, won the first prize; JOHN TYLER'S *Perry Handshaw*, of West Lebanon, won the second, and WM. B. SMITH'S *Black Biddle*, of Hartford, Conn., won the third. Respective times—2:46½, 2:41, 2:42½. The next race was that for double teams, left unfinished from Wednesday, and was won by WM. B. SMITH'S *Thomas Jefferson* and *Fred Tyler*, of Hartford. Respective times—2:40 and 2:42. The third race was for pacers; $175 to first, $85 to second, and was won by A. S. DREW'S *Jerry*, of Great Falls, which distanced the field on the second heat. Time—2:44 and 2:30 respectively. The fourth and last race of the day was for horses that had never beaten 2:40; $175 for the first, $60 for the second, and $35 for the third. It was won by D. W. FISK'S *Dauntless*. WILLIAM B. SMITH'S *Shoofly*, of Hartford, won the second, and JAMES DUSLIN'S *Lassie*, formerly *Kate*, of Lawrence, won the third. Respective times—2:43, 2:39 and 2:23. The number of people in attendance was about 30,000.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 8.—Today was the third day of the races at Point Breeze Park. The first race was for horses which have not beaten 2:30; $600 for the first horse, $450 for the second and $150 for the third. There were eight entries: *Charley Green*, *Topsy*, *Colonel Russell*, *Mary*, *Edney*, *Harry D.*, *Garibaldi* and *Lady Augusta*. The race was won by *Mary*, *Colonel Russell* second and *Lady Augusta* third. The second race, for horses that have never beaten 2:24, the prizes the same as in the preceding race, was won by WILLIAM H. BORST'S horse, *John J. Bradley*. The entries were *John J. Bradley*, *Edney*, *Hotspur*, *Rapid* and *Fanny Allen*.

The following celebrated horses have been entered for second contest to-morrow, mile heats, best three in five, for a purse of $4,500: *Goldsmith Maid*, *George Wilkes*, *Lucy* and *American Girl*.

Disorder in the Georgia Legislature—Almost a Riot.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 8.—In the House of Representatives the Senate Savannah Municipal bill was taken up. A point of order was made that it could not be entertained, the House having indefinitely postponed the bill. The temporary Speaker ruled the point well taken, when the House became riotous, and twenty colored members took the floor at the same time. A member called for the reading of the Riot act, and others for order. TURNER (colored) said the action of the colored members was disgraceful. The yeas and nays were then called, but two-thirds of the Republicans had left the house, and no quorum was present. The House then adjourned till afternoon. In the afternoon the ruling of the Speaker was sustained by three majority.

Gale Off the Shore of Nova Scotia—Numerous Wrecks and Many Lives Lost.

HALIFAX, Sept. 8.—Reports of wrecks and losses of life in the great gale of Sunday continue to come in. Besides many vessels known to be lost, there are many missing. The schooner *W. H. Doe* arrived from the Bay Chaleur, having lost one man. The schooner *Oscard* was wrecked at Chester. Four of the crew were drowned. The keeper of the light-house at Sambro, near Halifax, saw a brigantine strike on the ledge and founder. Not a soul was saved. Her name is unknown. The principal damage on land is the destruction of STARR'S rope-walk in Dartmouth, and DR WOLF'S carriage factory. ....The American fishing schooner *A. W. Warren*, of Gloucester, Mass., was captured near Sea Wolfe Island by a Canadian revenue vessel, and taken into Pictou.

Indian Depredations in New-Mexico—Several Men Killed.

SANTA FE, New-Mexico, Sept. 8.—Information has been received of the recent murder by Indians in Apache Pass of Mr. HOFMEN, a large German brewer of this city, who was on his way to Tucson to sell a stock of ale. His conveyance and horses were captured. Special correspondence from Ralston to the *New-Mexican*, says new Indian depredations in the vicinity of Tucson occur every day. A few days since FRENCH'S train was captured near Fort Smith, four men killed, and everything belonging to the train carried off or destroyed.

Guests of the California Pioneers—Receipts of the Central Pacific Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 5.—Gens. SHERMAN, SCHOFIELD, ORD and staffs; Admirals TURNER and FARQUHAR, of Her Majesty's iron-clad *Zealous*; Gov. HAIGHT and many other prominent personages will participate in the pioneer celebration on the anniversary of the admission of California on the 9th of September. All the uniformed militia in the city will turn out to welcome Gen. SHERMAN on his arrival....The earnings of the Central Pacific Railroad for the month of August were $96,000, a large increase over the same period last year.

A Serious Accident in Georgia—One Man Killed and Three Injured.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Sept. 8.—A section of the temporary bridge used for the erection of a new iron bridge here fell today. One man, Mr. BUCK, of this city, aged sixty years, was instantly killed. Three others were seriously injured, but will recover. The accident was the result of gross carelessness on the part of the men injured.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Sept. 8.—There was a brilliant procession this morning by the American Protestant Association.....The Albany Zouave Cadets were formally welcomed to the city this morning, in Independence Hall, by Mayor FOX. In the afternoon they had a dress parade in front of the Union League House, and a banquet at the Continental.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Sept. 8.—The True Blue Order held their grand carnival today. It is universally pronounced to have been the finest burlesque parade ever witnessed. It is estimated that not less than 20,000 people gathered here from abroad.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 8.—The supporters of the Prohibitory Liquor law held a meeting in Tremont Temple this evening. EMAR DOW, Rev. Dr. HUMES and other leading temperance advocates delivered addresses.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 8.—The little craft called the *City of Bangor*, which sailed from Queenstown about eighty days ago, reached this port today, having safely crossed the Atlantic. She is only three tons burden.

ROCHESTER, Sept. 8.—The game of base-ball, to-day, between the Atlantics, of Brooklyn, and the Flour City Club, resulted in the score of 29 to 15 in favor of the former Club.

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 8.—Judge BOND, of the United States Circuit Court, after hearing argument in the Ident-Oil Bergen case, habeas corpus, makes no decision, but takes the papers to Baltimore with him and holds the matter under advisement.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Sept. 8.—The Young Men's Christian Association Convention closed its labors in this city today, and to-night, after speeches and votes of thanks to Gilbert Pengelly, Repsamen, the Convention adjourned sine die. Utica has been appointed as the next place of meeting.

WASHINGTON.

Arrival of President Grant—Political Prospects in the South—Appropriations for Public Buildings—Internal Revenue Matters—Rights of Americans.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The President, accompanied by Gen. PORTER, left Long Branch last evening and arrived in this city at an early hour this morning, and took quarters with Secretary ROBESON, at his house on I-street. During the forenoon he visited the State Department, where the foreign situation was discussed and considered with the Acting Secretary of State, JOHN C. B. DAVIS. The President then called on Acting Secretary RICHARDSON, at the Treasury, and subsequently held interviews with Secretaries ROBESON and COX and received a few other callers. Secretary FISH will arrive in the morning, and a Cabinet meeting will be held during the day. The President returns to Long Branch to-morrow evening, and will resume his residence in this city about the 1st of October.

REPUBLICAN PROSPECTS IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

Senator ROBERTSON, of South Carolina, is here on his way back to that State after a short stay at the North. He has just received letters from Democrats, in which they admit that the Republican Party is gaining ground among the white population. Two Democratic members of the late Legislature have come out for the Republican ticket. Senator ROBERTSON says that in the Charleston and Beaufort Districts, where there are two Republican candidates in the fields the party controls three fourth of the votes, and cannot be defeated by this division.

APPROPRIATIONS FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

The letter of the First Controller, in reply to the opinion of Assistant Attorney-General TALBOT concerning the duration of the appropriations for public buildings made by the last Congress, is causing much talk in Treasury circles. Mr. TAYLOR stands alone in his construction of the law in the case, as Assistant-Secretary RICHARDSON, Solicitor BANFIELD, and the other lawyers in the Department,

SPANISH AFFAIRS.

Attitude of the Government—Prim's Position—The Regent—Republicanism.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MADRID, Wednesday, Aug. 24, 1870.

A disinterested spectator, seeing what is passing at the present moment in Spain, would be tempted to believe that our rulers, contented and satisfied with having definitely constituted the Government of the country, had given themselves up entirely to repose. But unfortunately those who note the decisions of the Ministers, the conferences that take place between the different leaders, and the moral, political and financial position of Spain, are not so be deceived. For by using a little judgment they cannot refrain from observing that there is no industry, that commerce flags, that the taxes are not paid, that the Cortes does not assemble, that the wished-for King is not to be found, that the laboring classes suffer much for want of work, that the public Treasury is empty, that the fundholders are paid, but slowly, that the resources for obtaining loans are exhausted, and, finally, that the revolutionists, dissatisfied with the political march of the Government, are preparing for a final effort, with the view of substituting a real Government for the one we have at present, and which does nothing. There are certain individuals who pretend to explain that the inaction of our Ministers is the result of calculations on their part, and that their real object is to wait for the denouement of the great drama that is being played out on the banks of the Moselle and Meuse, so as to be able to appeal to the conqueror for his assistance and support in finding a solution for the present difficulties.

A MONARCH—PRIM'S POSITION.

I need not tell you that these calculations on the part of our rulers give rise to numerous and severe criticisms. God knows whether or not a King chosen from abroad and supported by foreign bayonets, would raise the whole people against him and cause a civil war to burst forth simultaneously in all the provinces. The doubts and hesitations of Gen. PRIM are notorious. He is afraid to join the Democrats, on account of the long list of requirements they are preparing, and he is fearful that the Republicans will receive him badly if he makes advances toward them; and, again, he is doubtful whether he ought or not to join the Conservatives, to whom he grants a very small share of his confidence, because as a first condition of their support they would attempt to find him to a solution to which he would not agree. There is a dead calm everywhere, except in Catalonia, Andalusia and La Mancha, in which provinces the *gendarmes* are pursuing night and day the bandits that infest these parts.

THE REGENT.

The Regent, on his part, is making an appeal to the Conservatives, in order to see if the veil of forgetfulness cannot be thrown over the past and some understanding come to, so as to remove the dangers which, according to his account, threaten Spain. He has conferred with M. CANTERO, M. ZABALLA, M. SILVELA, M. TOPETE, M. ROMERO ORTIZ, M. BEURNOS, M. ROS DE OLANO and M. RIOS ROSAS, the whole of whom have been former Ministers. They all agreed in the utility and propriety of a conciliatory Ministry which would be composed of two Liberals, three Progressistas and three Democrats. What is most probable is, that after a great many conversations and conferences the *statu quo* will be observed, and that the Cortes will not be convoked before the 31st of October next, unless some unforeseen event occurs to compel the Ministry to come to some decision in a limited space of time.

REPUBLICANISM.

You will easily understand that the Republicans, although somewhat disheartened at seeing the Spanish Government give such negative results, in a political, financial and social point of view, have at this moment a good chance of success. The efforts of the Monarchists to find a King have only ended, up to the present time, in proving what a useless body they are, and how little they are in harmony with the masses of the people. The Republican propaganda is being made everywhere on the largest scale; everything is being prepared in order that, should Paris send the news which is impatiently expected, an explosion of the popular sentiment may take place and the Republic be proclaimed immediately, leaving the *plebiscitum* to be made afterward. The Regent persists in his idea of attempting an opposition to the proclamation of a republic. He has repeated to his friends that he has decided to put himself at the head of the army, to fight against the Republicans. If the popular movement were as strongly declared against him as the Republicans hope to be the case, a civil war of a long duration would be imminent; for the Spanish soldier has, for a great many years past, been accustomed to blindly follow the orders of his commanders, who reward him afterward by diminishing his term of service. In short, preparations for the struggle are being made on all sides. In consequence, the Ministers have lost no time in getting together 25,000 men in the environs of Madrid.

Waiting for the Results of the War—A Republic in France Looked for—The Probable Effect—The Regency and Its Opponents.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MADRID, Friday, Aug. 19, 1870.

There is nothing doing in the official world here, and in the different Ministries everything seems to be suspended while waiting for dispatches from the seat of war, which are discussed in anticipation in every possible way. The news received of the battle of the 16th and 17th inst., has tended to raise the hopes of the partisans of the cause of France. The Regent has not been on the best terms with Gen. PRIM since the latter has had the weakness to turn with his friends and several Democrats to the Republican Party. The Regent persists in his desire to oppose the modification of the thirty-third article of the Constitution, even if France should be under the necessity of changing her form of government.

EFFECT OF A REPUBLIC IN FRANCE.

Gen. PRIM, M. RIVERO, M. ZORILLA and M. MARTOS, are of opinion that if the Republic should be proclaimed in France, it would be necessary, in order to be beforehand with the outbreak that would otherwise occur in Madrid, for the authorities to head a movement for the formation of a conservative Republic. This is the cause of the uneasy feelings that exist in high places. M. RIOS ROSAS, the leader of the Liberal Unionists, has threatened the Ministry with a determined opposition as soon as the Cortes are opened. Gen. PRIM, knowing the unrelenting adversary he would have to deal with, has endeavored to pacify him by making some concessions. The Regent has begged a Deputy, formerly a Minister, to call upon M. RIOS ROSAS, to induce him to forego his intended opposition. He demands that the Ministry shall take the initiative in the Cortes, by proposing to the Deputies to invest it with the executive power,—that is, with the power of dissolving the present Cortes, of forming a new Ministry, and of ordering the election of fresh municipalities, Counselors-General, and new Deputies and Senators. Will this project succeed? It is very doubtful. However, I must tell you that the Regent has promised Gen. PRIM to support it, even if it should affect the War Department, which is the essential point for the General, but the twelve or fifteen Deputies that support him are very influential, and urge him on to a military Dictatorship, as the head of which he certainly would be.

THE REGENCY AND ITS OPPONENTS.

I need not tell you that the Republicans are on the watch, and that they are determined to prevent the execution of the projects of Marshal SERRANO. They also watch very closely the acts of Gen. PRIM. They know that the worst passions are raging around the President of the Council of Ministers, and that unheard-of efforts are being made to bring him to certain ends by means of costly support and the adulations that are lavished upon him by those beings whose conscience is always at the order of their insatiable appetite. The conduct of Gen. PRIM, so far as it affects the Republicans, is similar to apparitions which are only known by their deplorable results. We must not conceal from ourselves that the character of the political conduct of Gen. PRIM is the cause of everything except the dissatisfaction considerably increased system the last twenty-two months. The country is therefore little disposed to be grateful to the ostensible leader of this kind of policy, which decreases everything except the budget.

SUPPRESSED REVOLUTION.

Considering this astonishing assemblage of concessions and repressions of provocation in some and tolerance to others, and multiplied excitements, is it at all surprising that we are constantly threatened with a revolution? Spain is therefore a constant hot-bed of conspiracies against a position of affairs which satisfies no party—not even the legitimate aspirations of the revolution. As to the interior policy, the deepest laid plans are made use of in order to deceive. The hand is given to all parties, but no engagement made with any. In one word, everybody is deceived by the flattering hopes that are held out to him, but which are certain to be destroyed in secret. Every one is convinced that at this very moment in official quarters they are plotting a fresh attack upon the Republicans, whose assistance is required to obtain a victory, by means of which a *coup d'état* might be effected at a given time, and a King—no matter of what kind, even if it were of wood, like that of the frogs of the good LAFONTAINE—proclaimed.

NATIONAL FINANCES.

An unlimited credit has just been granted to the Minister of the Interior, without its object having been disclosed. The Cortes alone have the right of granting these credits. (this is the first violation of the Constitution,) and they will be merely asked to approve of these expenses. The nation is very poor, but nevertheless Gen. PRIM has thought it to spend twelve millions ($120,000) starting to embellish the palace of the Minister of War. How much will be really spent on these works, I cannot tell you. They pay neither the professors, the clergy, nor pensioners. Misery is at its height in the provinces. In the villages, the collectors of taxes are fired upon. The harvest is only half what it ought to be, on account of the great drouth. The consequence is, uneasiness reigns everywhere. French agents have gone into the Asturias and Galicia to buy oxen, and into Aragon and Catalonia to buy corn and wine. Large cargoes have been sent off to Marseilles for the requirements of the army. In short, the position of Spain is, at the present moment, one of expectation for all. Nothing is done, and nothing will be decided until later, and then only in accordance with the events of Paris.

THE LAKE SUPERIOR RAILROAD.

The Trip to Sioux City—Character of the Country—Points of Interest—Back to St. Paul—A Night at the Opera-House.

From Our Special Correspondent.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Monday, Aug. 29, 1870.

Our trip down the Sioux City Road was made on Saturday. Conveyed to the depot in carriages, we found a "special," or, as they call it out here, "wild" train, waiting for us. Besides our own party, quite a number of ladies and gentlemen, belonging to St. Paul, took part in the excursion—among the latter being Gov. AUSTIN, Ex-Gov. MARSHALL, Gen. SIBLEY, Dr. STEWART and several representatives of the local Press. The day was bright and beautiful, and the road in first-rate running order. Our first stopping place was Mendota, six miles from St. Paul. Stopping only to wood and water, our train dashed past Nicols, Hamilton, Bloomington, Thakopee, Merriam, Davidson, Brentwood and St. Lawrence—the country all the way being one splendid rolling prairie, with immense tracts of wheat and corn land on both sides—the whole suggesting very forcibly the enormous amount of traffic which must soon be done on the line, with St. Paul as the *entrepôt* for its transmission, via the Lake Superior and Mississippi line to Duluth, there to be reshipped to eastern ports.

CHARACTER OF THE COUNTRY.

All the country appears to be well settled and improved, with roads, school-houses, churches, and innumerable towns and villages. The land consists of both timber and prairie; the soil is of the richest and most fertile quality, finely watered, while the climate is confessedly superior to that of any other Western State. The terms of purchase appear easy beyond the common—one-third only in cash down, the balance being payable in five subsequent annual installments, with seven per cent. per annum interest, or a discount of eight per cent. on the remaining nine-tenths of the purchase money, if the same is all paid in cash. Passing Kasota and Carolina, we halted at Mankato for a few minutes, and from thence progressed slowly by South Bend and Minneopa to Lake Crystal, a township situated near the lake of that name, and about one hundred and twelve miles distant from St. Paul. Hitherto no trains had run further than this, but the track having been completed as far as Madelia, (about twelve miles further on,) we made for that point, running slowly and cautiously, however, for fear of accidents. We arrived at Madelia about 1½ P. M., and pending the preparation of lunch, some of us amused ourselves by watching the process of track-laying about half a mile further on, an operation which progresses at the rate of only about half a mile a day, iron not arriving fast enough to proceed more rapidly. Others of us made a raid on the village of Madelia, which is situated only a short distance from the railroad. It was established about thirteen years ago, but until within a year or two consisted of only a few poor wooden shanties. A prominent landmark is the old block-house fort, yclept Fort Cox, built in 1862, and which, it may be remembered, did good service during the Indian troubles of that year. There are now more that fifty good houses in the village, and a population of over three hundred.

THE RETURN TRIP.

To admit of our party arriving at home in good season, our stay in Madelia was necessarily short, consequently I was deprived of an opportunity of conversing with the citizens as to their plans and prospects, and the short halt at Lake Crystal was another disappointment of a similar nature. The entire road between St. Paul and Sioux City consists of two divisions, the first extending from St. Paul to St. James, which is about eleven miles beyond Madelia. All this has been graded, and the track-laying will be completed very shortly. The bridge to cross the Watonwan River has been framed at St. Paul, and will be carried up the line today. No fewer than twenty-two miles of main track have been built during the past season, besides the erection of a fine draw-bridge across the Minnesota River at St. Peter, in order to accommodate its citizens in reaching the depot. The second division of the road—155 miles—is that portion of it between St. James and Sioux City, the last twenty-five miles of it passing over the Iowa Falls and Sioux City Road, which runs from Fort Dodge, and is, I believe, permanently leased by the Illinois Central Company. When this road is entirely built there will be a continuous railroad connection between Lake Superior and San Francisco.

THE SALT DEPOSITS.

I was informed that the Salt Company of that place, in drilling for salt water, have reached the rock 200 feet below the surface. This will necessarily save them heavy expense for tubing, &c. They are proceeding at the rate of some twelve feet per diem, using a very powerful steam drill, which stands close to the railroad track, and is the object of much curiosity. Before many days they expect to strike salt.

At about 2 P. M. we turned our faces homeward, the excursion having been in all respects a complete success. The party arrived at their hotel in good season to enjoy supper, after which, notwithstanding their fatigue, they adjourned en masse to the opera-house. The sensation of the evening was the production of BROUGHAM'S immortal "Pocahontas," with Miss BOOTH in the title role, and one of the excursion party, Mr. R., of New-York, supporting her as the redoubtable *Powhatan*. The piece was a complete success, the applause being incessant, and both the lady and gentleman called before the curtain at its fall to be pelted with bouquets and receive an ovation. My next letter will give details of an excursion to White Bear Lake, wind up St. Paul matters, and inform you as to our plans for the return journey.

Homeward Bound—The Vicinity of St. Paul—Indians—Western Towns—Arrival at Duluth.

From Our Special Correspondent.

STEAM-SHIP "WINSLOW,"
LAKE SUPERIOR, Tuesday, Aug. 30, 1870.

Sunday, the 28th current, dawned brilliantly; there had been a good deal of rain during the night, but the sun shone out in all his glory, giving certain promise of a delightful day for our excursion. Dr. VINTON, of Trinity Church, New-York, having been announced to preach at Christ Church in the morning, most of our party attended service there, and listened with attention to one of the reverend Doctor's most serious, the subject being the Brazen Serpent. After an early dinner, a party of us took carriages and drove to White Bear Lake, which is situated about twelve miles from the city. This lake is certainly a most beautiful one; it is surrounded by splendid forests and its waters are as limpid and transparent as the clearest of crystal. Its circumference exceeds twenty miles, and there is a lovely island in its midst, covering an area of over eighty-five acres. Having enjoyed a delightful sail of about an hour, followed by a ramble among the trees on the margin of the lake, we resumed our carriages and drove back to the city, delighted beyond measure with the excursion, and glad at having had an opportunity of seeing what is confessedly one of the most interesting spots in the vicinity of St. Paul. The climate at White Bear Lake has quite a reputation as a sanatorium for invalids and persons suffering from diseases of the chest and lungs; consequently many people have taken up their residence in the neighborhood, one and all of whom concur as to the health-restoring influence of its bracing atmosphere, which physicians believe possesses an excess of oxygen, together with a peculiar dryness and lightness which admirably adapt it to the purposes of free respiration. The lowness of the temperature during the Summer months, (ranging from 40° to 70° Fahrenheit,) too, far from tending to produce colds or coughs, is found to afford direct relief to those affected with asthma, bronchitis and other pulmonary complaints. Although the Winters are long, they are considered the most healthy period of the year, the extreme cold not being greater than is sometimes felt in the Northern or Eastern States, near the sea-board.

After our return from White Bear, all the party met by agreement in the great drawing-room of the hotel, to spend an hour or so and exchange adieus, as several of our number were to leave the main body and proceed to their destinations by various other routes. This formal leave-taking did not, however, appear to suffice, as, notwithstanding the early hour, everybody assembled to see us off in the morning. All St. Paul seemed to have turned out to join in these parting greetings, and we drove to the depot amid the hearty farewells of all. Much of the country on the route, having been passed in the darkness on our downward trip, was now new to us, the first object of interest being Lake Phalon, from which St. Paul gets her supply of pure water. This lake is considered inexhaustible; but to provide against all possible contingencies, the St. Paul Water Company have secured the right of way to Bald Eagle Lake, some miles beyond. The last-mentioned lake is celebrated among patrons of the "gentle art," being stocked with fish.

WESTERN TOWNS.

On our upward journey we encountered several groups of Indians—some of them in their birch-bark canoes, paddling gracefully along over the clear and still waters of some of the lakes. The squaws, too, appeared to considerable advantage in their picturesque attire, sitting in the doors of their wigwams, close to the railroad track. Some of the townships already located give promise of great things. One which was pointed out to me is particularly interesting from the suggestive fact that out of the thirty-four houses of which it at present consists, thirty-two are groceries, the thirty-third a house of questionable repute, and the thirty-fourth the Station-house! At one of the stopping places we were boarded by several of the residents, rabid after news and clamorous for old newspapers. One of these, wearing his hair hanging half-way down his shoulders, an enormous, unkempt red beard and mustache, and gotten up in a "rig" that would unquestionably make a sensation in Broadway, introduced himself to our notice as Judge McLEOD, and created much merriment. The Judge had evidently been "tasting," and was excessively communicative, giving us all his history and parentage, even to the minutest details, and expressing his disgust of "life in the wilderness" in no measured terms.

ARRIVAL AT DULUTH.

It was dark when we reached Duluth, and our train consequently ran down direct to the freight depot, alongside the good ship *Winslow*, which lay at her moorings, with steam up, ready for sea. A large number of the most prominent citizens came down to shake hands and bid us "God-speed." Foremost among these was Col. MITCHELL, of the Duluth *Tribune*, to whom I am indebted for much interesting information, and whose courtesy and kindness cannot be too highly eulogized. It seemed quite natural getting on board our steamer again, so that, after supper, we found our way to our respective state-rooms, where we very soon succumbed to the demoralizing fatigues of the past week, meeting again at the breakfast-table this morning at an unusually "fashionable" hour.

From Duluth to Erie—Points of Interest—Difficult Navigation—A Storm on Lake Erie.

From Our Special Correspondent.

ERIE, Penn., Saturday, Sept. 3, 1870.

Our downward voyage has been truly a delightful one, and a great deal of novelty and interest added to our former experiences. I chronicled in my letter of 30th ult. our departure from Duluth on board the *Winslow*. Taking up my narrative at that point, therefore, I proceed now to detail our downward passage. I have already put you in possession of pretty full particulars regarding the rise progress, present appearance, situation, natural advantages and future prospects of Duluth, so that I need not now here again refer to it.

DEPARTURE FROM DULUTH.

As it was dark on leaving Duluth, we saw little of the coast until we were abreast of the Apostles Islands, mentioned in my last. The first point of importance which we passed was Outonagon, which is situated at the mouth of a river of the same name. Here is a population of more than 1,200 inhabitants, with some thriving stores and excellent houses. In the immediate vicinity are the Minnesota, National, Rockland, and several other very valuable copper mines, these being situated in a range of high hills, crossing Keweenaw Point from north-east to south-west for nearly ninety-six miles. There are also traces of silver among the copper, the ore of the latter abounding in very large masses. Communication between the city and the mines is by an excellent plank road. The Porcupine Mountain, some eighteen miles west of Ontonagon, is a bold headland, rising some 1,400 feet from the lake surface; it is one of the most prominent landmarks on the coast. Eight miles further on we made Eagle River Harbor and village, the population of which is about nine hundred. This is the outpost of the well-known Cliff and Boston mines. The county in which it stands is called Houghton County, in honor of the memory of the late Dr. HOUGHTON, who was drowned October, 1845, while engaged in exploring this section of the country. Another couple of hours brought us to Copper Harbor, one of the best on the lake, although somewhat difficult to enter. Although it was dark, we ran in round the point, and "brought up" to give our ladies an opportunity of going ashore and buying a few specimens from the neighboring mines. The population here does not exceed three hundred. An old United States military post, formerly called Fort Wilkins, has been converted into a hotel, being situated on Lake Fanny Hee, half a mile from the wharf. Rounding Keweenaw Point, we struck across for Marquette, which we reached at an early hour on Wednesday morning. Our stay here was prolonged for some time pending the loading of a quantity of pig-iron for Erie—an operation which is managed with great care and celerity at the commodious piers constructed expressly for the purpose. A run ashore, to collect our mail and get some late papers, whiled away the hour or two of our detention, and we then proceeded on our voyage, arriving off the pictured rocks, described on our upward passage, but which we now saw in far greater perfection than then. Before reaching the western limits of these rocks we passed Grand Island, a wild, romantic isle about ten miles long and five wide, lying close in shore.

NAVIGATION UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

As we had gone considerably out of our direct course, we were forced to run to the westward, and stand off in order to make the light-house on White Fish Point. This light-house is nearly seventy-five feet in height, and is usually most conspicuous; but as it was rainy on Wednesday evening, we failed to make it for a considerable time; at last, however, we succeeded, and soon retrieved our lost time, running into the St. Mary River in good season. Passing down we passed the wrecks of several vessels—the channel here being very intricate and dangerous. We came into the ship-canal in time to pass the locks in company with the *Cobourg*, one of EDDY WARD's line, now running alternately with boats of the EVANS line, between Duluth and Erie ports. These locks are two in number, each 350 feet long, with a width of 115 feet at top, 180 feet at water-line, and 45 feet at bottom. The walls are 45 feet high and 10 feet thick at the bottom. The amount of lumber, timber and iron used in the building of the piers and gates is enormous. We reached Detroit at 7 P. M., Friday, and having got our mail and dropped three more of our party, we steamed down the river in gallant style.

A STORM AND GALE ON LAKE ERIE.

But morning dawned red, gray, and lowering, and puffs of a threatening kind from the north-east came up over and again, each one seeming to increase in violence. There was a strange oppression, too, in the atmosphere, that told plainly that we were in for it. Presently down came a whole gale of wind—whistling, howling and blowing, as if it would have blown us out of the water altogether. The sky grew of an inky blackness, and the water bore that unearthly lead-like color which betokens the worst kind of weather. The whole surface of the lake was a mass of foam and boiling surge. At last there came one blinding flash of lightning, followed almost instantaneously by a deafening crash of thunder; flash after flash, peal after peal, it came, as if all heaven's artillery had opened fire at once; then came torrents of rain which beat into every crevice and chasm, the wind still blowing fiercely, and every moment increasing in violence. In a few hours, however, the clouds were dispelled, the sun came out glorious as ever, although the gale continued unabated and the sea running very high, and occasionally breaking over the vessel, making her shiver as wave after wave broke on her bows. The *Winslow* proved herself an excellent sea-boat, and weathered it splendidly, riding the billows "like a thing of life." It was late, however, ere we got to Erie, and our farewell dinner was accordingly postponed until we got shelter behind the peninsula, in order that we might have the company of the ladies, most of whom had been confined to their state-rooms. Our farewell repast over, we adjourned to the Reed House, where we took leave of Mr. EVANS (owner of the *Winslow*) and his lady, as well as of four more of our party.

From Erie to Philadelphia—Success of the Expedition—Prospects at the Road.

From Our Special Correspondent.

PHILADELPHIA, Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1870.

On Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock, after a comfortable night's rest at the Reed House—an excellent hotel owned and kept by Mr. URSON, for many years an associate of the famous P. T. BARNUM—we took shipping in a special train put at our disposal by the Superintendent of the Pennsylvania and Erie Road, Mr. BALDWIN, who accompanied us on our journey. Dashing along at top speed, we arrived at Kane in time for dinner, and about 4½ at Renovo, the terminus of the Second Division of the line. Here we halted to inspect the fish-ponds attached to the hotel, adjoining the depot. These ponds are stocked with brook-trout, which thrive amazingly well. The ponds are three in number, communicating with each other by a small narrow rill. The fish, however, are detained in their own proper compartment by a small water-wheel, which turns by the action of the trickling stream, thus allowing a constant flow of pure water from the Spring, at the same time preventing the small and young fish from mixing with, and being destroyed by, the full-grown trout. In the lower pond we saw perfect shoals of the trout, averaging from twelve to fifteen inches apiece. The feeding process is most amusing—the food being eagerly dashed for and swallowed almost instantaneously on its reaching the surface of the water. The proprietor of these ponds nets a very considerable sum by the sale of his fish, besides supplying the table of his hotel. Sunday evening we passed in the Heckle House, in Williamsport, from which we took our departure at 8:40 yesterday morning.

Precisely at the minute, as arranged weeks ago, our cars arrived at the platform of the Pennsylvania Road, Philadelphia—a remarkable instance of the executive power of railroad men, which has been rarely more strikingly demonstrated than in their thus carrying out schedule arrangements, covering weeks in time, but a continent in space, and gratifying, as well as satisfying, the wishes and whims of pleasure parties.

SUCCESS OF THE EXCURSION.

This expedition has far more than simply demonstrated the feasibility and possible success of the undertaking, the completion of which it was our mission to celebrate. It has clearly proved to every one of the party, and to none more so than to myself and my brethren of the Press, that the connection between the navigable waters of the Mississippi and the head of the great lake system is now secured, and that through other great railroad connections, both existing and in progress, the produce of the vast wheat stoppe of this mighty Continent will henceforth have free egress; in fact, as one of our party very justly observed, it is "now tapped, and the current turned directly on" to refresh and gladden the hearts of the Eastern world.

The financial prospects of the Lake Superior and Mississippi Railroad are encouraging. The land grants donated aggregate an area of 1,652,000 acres; the City of St. Paul has donated $300,000 in city bonds, and the county of St. Louis $140,000 in county bonds. It may be safely assumed that, selling to actual settlers, with fair rates of interest and liberal credits, the lands so donated are worth for agricultural purposes alone at least $6 per acre, while their sale and settlement, which is fast following the building of the road, will in a short time make an immense local freight and passenger business. The assets of the Company may thus be safely set down, without any exaggeration, at $10,212,000.

The lumber, consisting of the finest white and Norway pine, will also be a great source of revenue, and has been estimated at four thousand millions of feet! The slate formation, one of the largest and best in the world, extending twenty miles in length by six in breadth, cannot have its importance and value too highly estimated.

Mineral wealth also, inclusive of silver, iron and copper ore, is abundant all around the lake, and the large number of persons employed in these mining districts will most assuredly find the cheapest market for their supplies, in drawing them from the West; groceries and miscellaneous goods, brought from the South, coming up the Mississippi River, and passing over the Lake Superior and Mississippi line to the lake.

Another suggestive fact is that the Minnesota farmers pay as freight from the average point of production in the State, thirty cents per bushel on wheat to Chicago or Milwaukee, and yet, when it has reached these points, it is the same distance from its ultimate market at the East as when it reaches the head of Lake Superior. Fifteen to twenty cents per bushel is now saved to the producer by the construction of the Lake Superior and Mississippi Road; consequently it would be unreasonable to doubt that farmers will hardly be slow to seize upon and profit by such manifest advantages.

The average cost of transportation from Duluth to the Atlantic coast does not exceed four mills per ton per mile, while that of railroads is twelve mills per ton per mile. When the projected improvements at the St. Mary Ship Canal are carried out, and passage secured to vessels of 1,200 tons burden, a further reduction of two mills per ton per mile will most probably take place.

IMMIGRATION.

At the present rate of immigration Minnesota will add this year 75,000 to the population, and in a couple of years more will have a population of not less than 300,000, with a wheat product of more than 20,000,000 bushels, of which amount at least two-thirds will pass over the Lake Superior and Mississippi Road to Lake Superior. The merchants of Minnesota now pay for freight on goods coming from Chicago or Milwaukee, over $1,000,000 per annum. Now that this line of road is open, a large portion of the goods must come by it, as then the principal part of this freight will be saved both to merchant and consumer. The passenger traffic induced by the large business of the road, will necessarily be greatly augmented by tourists and others seeking the salubrious climate of the north-west for health or recreation, as a trip like our own, from the East, over the latter, perhaps returning by way of the Mississippi River or the lines of road running east from St. Paul, will afford more real enjoyment and instruction than, perhaps, any other excursion of like character on the Continent.

THE RED RIVER COUNTRY.

Advance of the Expedition—The Half-breeds—Riel in Action—Arrests—The Sweet Murder, &c.

A special correspondent of the Toronto *Globe*, writing from Fort Garry under date of Aug. 24, says: The mounted company, serving as an advance guard, was a great success. They came in last night bringing prisoners of various descriptions. An order had been issued that people passing through their line should not be allowed to return; and as numbers of people came out from one pause and another from Fort Garry, the advance of the company was accompanied by a string of cabbies resembling nothing so much as the funeral of a first-class Democrat in New-York. Several people were also captured who had hidden into the woods. They were informed that since they had come into the lines they must remain within them until morning.

One gentleman took it very much to heart. He had evidently been drinking to the success of the troops, or some other cause, and complained that he had been arrested. His horse had been arrested his sulky arrested, and he himself had been "groshly 'sulted" by a fellow. He repeated the "groshly 'sulted" several times, and appeared to be unable to get over it; but as far as I could learn the sympathetic crowd assisted in Mr. RIDDELL's ordering a picket to stop him as he attempted to get away. Another gentleman farmer living near Winnipeg, when stopped for crossing the lines, took a sensible view of the matter, and said that Mr. MITCHELL-INNES, who had captured him, had much better let him go, as he would then be able to order a good supper, and draw some excellent ale that he had for the officers of the company by the time they arrived at his house. The invitation was very tempting, but on the other hand duty forbade the release; however, to compromise matters and reconcile duty with inclination, the young rifle officer conducted his prisoner to his house and there tasted the beer which had been so lauded, and which was found to be excellent. There were about 50 prisoners taken, however, and really held as prisoners. One of these was found to be a member of the Court-martial that condemned poor SCOTT, and another was said to be one of RIEL's cavalry officers. Nothing could exceed the picturesque appearance of Capt. WALKER and his company armed with rifles. As the fort was neared, the line was thrown into open column, and in this formation the little army moved steadily on for the walls. For a few minutes the hope was high that RIEL was going to fight. The gate which the force approached was shut, a large white flag mounted on sorbets over it, and not a sign of a man could be seen. We were now close, and judged that had the Fort been evacuated there would have been some one only too glad to tell the news. RIEL rose in the estimation of the men. They had feared, during the last few months of daily toil, that when Fort Garry was reached there would be nothing for them to do. The night, therefore, of the closed gates, the gun, and the marked silence that reigned around, led them for a moment to believe that RIEL had been maligned, and that there was more in him than people thought. The word ran along the line "he is going to fight, and the elastic step which succeeded the heavy tramp showed how gladly the tidings were received. The lady who had accompanied the expedition from Fort William dismounted from the cariole or sleigh in which she had accompanied Mr. WORLEY's regiment ever since she had ridden from the landing, and quick glances were cast at the walls as if to seek the best spots for storming. But, however, it all blew over; RIEL had gone away, with his tail between his legs like a whipped cur. Mr. DENNISON, aid-de-camp, who had been sent on to see if the other story was true, galloped back to say that it was, and the column moved on for the main entrance. As they neared the gate the band struck up a quickstep, to which the column marched in and formed in open column in the square of the fort. Before the head of the column got in, however, the staff and unattached officers had vied with one another in being the first to reach the flag-staff. It is difficult to say who was first, but Col. MCNEIL, Capt. HUTCHINS and Mr. BUTLER, Sixty-ninth, arrived nearly together. If it be proper to decide them. Inside the fort were a few individuals who looked like half-breeds, and might have been anything, besides several of the Hudson Bay Company's officers. One or two of these first-mentioned men were pointed out as counselors and other friends of RIEL's, and one old man, who was behind the scenes, was mentioned by name, and stood there shaking, lest retribution should be dealt on him. It was curious, however, to find that of the few people in the fort, and the numbers outside, no one seemed to know anybody. One asked who so-and-so was, and no one knew, or whether RIEL had done such and such a thing, and no one could tell. There was an evident disinclination to recognise any one, or to speak of events past, present, or future. The fort was in a dreadful state of mud and dirt. It looked in just that kind of dirty disorder that marks a well-ordered establishment when the cabins are occupied by a person unaccustomed to anything larger than a hovel. Inside the building which RIEL had made his head-quarters, we found Mr. MCDOUGALL's carpet and other furniture in use. It is only two days ago since RIEL had the curtains brought in by Mr. MCDOUGALL, mounted in his room; he had kept them up every attempt at cleaning, it was all marred by dirt. In the dining-room were the uncleared remnants of the President's breakfast; and in all the houses which we entered we found that the same meal had been disturbed. Among other things which turned up were some of the papers of the retreating military. Copies of those which I think most interesting, I send you. I have no hesitation in doing this, because the papers, even of an honorable enemy, cease to be private when captured, and the proceedings of Bishop TACHE and RIEL can hardly be called honorable. You will see by these that Bishop TACHE and RIEL are the most harmonious coadjutors, and it is difficult to understand whether TACHE is RIEL's commissary in Canada, or whether RIEL is TACHE's executive officer at Winnipeg. There was a portion of a letter of TACHE's, dated first of August, which says that he regrets that Mr. ARCHIBALD will not be able to accompany him to Fort Garry, but assuring RIEL that he (Mr. ARCHIBALD) will be in time before the troops. He also speaks of Sir GEORGE CARTIER as *notre ami quand bien que coupable*. It is evident that Bishop TACHE has not consulted without his host in reckoning upon the devotion and courtesy of their friend, Sir GEORGE CARTIER, and in congratulating RIEL in having got all they wanted, he says the *Globe* will be furious. Among other papers which came to light is an account rendered to O'DONOGHUE by the delegate SCOTT, and by which it will be seen that the Ottawa Government were liberal in their allowance to the rebel delegates.

The City of Ragusa—She is Still Above Water.

The Boston *Journal*, of the 7th inst., says: "The little boat *City of Ragusa* was again spoken on Monday last, in latitude 42° 50', longitude 69° 10', by the fishing schooner *Emma L. Rich*, Capt. JENKINS, from the Grand Banks, which arrived at this port yesterday. She was then seventy-eight days out from Queenstown, bound to Boston, and her commander expected to reach this port in about a week from that time. He reported having experienced heavy weather, during which his little craft had behaved finely, carrying him safely through all the dangers of the Atlantic Ocean. He was accompanied by one man and a dog, and Capt. JENKINS states that all three appeared in good spirits when he left them. They had an ample supply of water and provisions, and required no assistance. The little boat is about three tons burden. Her Captain is represented as being a fine looking person, with a long, flowing beard, and in parting from the Yankee fisherman he waived his adieu with all the grace of an admiral of the fleet.

Elopement from Schuylerville, N. Y.—A Fourteen Year Old Maiden Threatens to Take Poison if not Allowed to Marry.

The Troy *Whig* of the 7th inst. has the following:

Schuylerville has been excited for the past few days over a "lovers' flight," which has furnished some choice tea-party gossip for the inhabitants of that place. The parties are a young man of about twenty-one years of age, who has been in two different county jails, within the last three months, and is a candidate for State Prison, and a girl fourteen years old, a beautiful and very talented young lady. About 8 o'clock Saturday night they were seen to cross the river bridge at Schuylerville, going east. Word was sent to the mother of the girl (who is a widow lady) and she was nearly crazed to learn of the affair. A dozen wagons started in pursuit. The pair were overtaken at Gaisenville, having waited on a minister there, who refused to marry them. They were about to look further when they were overhauled by the mother of the girl. The daughter declared she would marry him or poison herself. She broke away from her pursuers and took to her uncle's in the dark and met her lover again. They started for Fort Miller village, about five miles distant. They were traced to the hotel there. When the landlord heard the pursuers coming, he put out the lights and locked the doors, denying that they were there. But a cousin of the girl, a muscular fellow, said they were there, for their horse was under the shed, and that he should have the girl dead or alive. The landlord then told them the girl was in the kitchen with his wife. She baffled her pursuers a little longer by running into another room, and locking the door after her, but her cousin broke down the door, whereupon the girl seized a poker and fought like a tigress, but was finally brought out, exclaiming to her lover, "Ed, what shall I do?" "Well, I guess you had better go home," and home she went, but how long she will stay depends upon how closely she is watched. She declares she will marry him. It is a very strange affair. She is a fine-looking, worthy girl, and to throw herself away on so worthless a young man seems little better than madness. As for the young man, he gets drunk every week or two and drives his father and mother out of the house and threatens to shoot them, and they find it necessary to escape until he gets sober. An elegant home for a young wife.

CURRENT NOTES.

The citizens of Southern Herkimer, N. Y., contemplate the building of a railroad between Springfield Centre and Utica.

All the citizens of St. Cloud, Minn., recently turned out to hunt the only rat ever seen in that region.

The school children of Terre Haute, Ind., are about to be vaccinated by order of the Common Council.

Mrs. M. F. H. MITCHELL, of Natchez, Miss., has been tried and found guilty of the murder of her husband, J. J. MITCHELL.

Some mean thief at Lansesborough, Minn., recently took advantage of the absence of a family at the funeral of one of its members to steal the sheets and pillows from all the beds.

The Minnesota River is to be bridged at St. Peter by the Winona and St. Peter Railroad Company, on condition of receiving from the town a gratuity of $25,000.

A cotton-planter at Memphis, Tenn., has lost one-fourth of his crop, this season, by the ravages of the bull-worm. Several other planters suffer from a similar misfortune.

Since the closing of the liquor saloons at Leslie, Mich., a society has been established in a neighboring town which permits to any of its members, on pain of fine, from reading there until the liquor traffic has been resumed.

A quantity of tools at a hardware-store, in East Saginaw, Mich., were recently so charged with magnetic properties, during the prevalence of a thunder-storm, that they attract nails, tacks and screws.

OMAHA, the Indian orator, has just started on a lecturing tour through the United States, having begun at Council Bluffs, Iowa, on the 4th inst. He is said to be quite good-looking, and has a wonderful command of language.

Four heroic young ladies have made the ascent of Mount Washington, N. H., by a perilous path. They camped out all night, and reached the Tip-Top House at 7 o'clock in the afternoon.

A correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* gives the name of a family resident in Sangamon County, Ill., whose united ages foot up one ninety-one.

Prof. KING, of Poughkeepsie, recently made a very pleasant trip to Westport, Conn., in his balloon. The distance, sixty miles, was passed over in one hour, and very nearly the highest point he attained was half a mile.

JOSEPH COATES, a compositor, of Albany, N. Y., walked out of a third-story window, a few nights since, but is not yet dead, although he is reported to have fallen on the crown of his head.

A large soup-house for the benefit of the poor is in contemplation at Atlanta, Ga. Ten gentlemen have pledged themselves to contribute $50 per year each to maintain it. An ale brewer has headed the subscription with $5,000.

We are glad to find that some husbands in Texas set a higher value on their wives than others. Mr. P. FIELD, of Menard County, in that State, offers $1,200 for the return of his "better half," who was stolen some time since by the Indians from Pleiding Negros.

The Rock County, Tennessee, Agricultural Society will inaugurate its annual fair by distributing prizes for

THE FAIR AT THE RINK.

What is to be Seen on the Second Day—The Exhibition Assuming Shape.

There is still much confusion at the Rink, although exhibitors are endeavoring to get their articles into shape with all convenient speed. The arrangements for giving the visitor facilities for finding the whereabouts of any article on exhibition are, this year, an improvement on those of 1869. Large placards, showing the localities of the different departments, are suspended from the roof of the building, and hang immediately over the space set apart for the goods, articles or inventions which come under the various heads into which the exhibition is sub-divided. According to this sub-division, we have on the northerly side of the Rink, extending from the entrance on Third avenue, eastwardly, the following: Department No. 1—Fine Arts and Education; Department No. 2—Dress and Handicraft; Department No. 3—(to be devoted to small machinery) vacant, as yet; Department No. 4—Agriculture and Horticulture. And on the southerly side of the building: Department No. 6—Intercommunication; Department No. 4—Chemistry and Mineralogy; Department No. 5—Of the dwelling. The long aisle which extends down the whole length of the building, and leads into Department No. 5—of Machinery—is broken only by MATSEWS' large octagonal soda-water fountain, which towers up in pyramidal form to the height of twenty-five feet. At the rear end of this aisle, and on a platform raised thirty feet from the floor work, men are busy putting up the large organ which Mr. JARDINE will exhibit as a specimen of what may be done in this country in that direction. There seems to be an absence of the numberless pianos which last year were thrummed upon by indifferent players, sending forth atonies in various keys and in all sorts of movements at one and the same time, and which made the Department of fine arts in 1869, a perfect babel of discord. For this relief, much thanks, Messrs. Managers.

The agricultural Department is filling up with mowers, reapers, hay-cutters, and numerous other adjuncts of the farm, but to which to the denizens of the City are totally inexplicable in design, and, for the most part, unattractive. Mr. HULL makes his soap temple do service again this year, and it looks as good as new. HERRING, FARRELL & SHERMAN exhibit a number of safes of all varieties. There is a fine display of buggies and carriages by GEO. J. MOORE, T. E. BALDWIN & CO., and STIVER; also safes of all varieties, baby carriages, sleighs for youngsters, &c., are in profusion. The machinery department is being slowly put to rights, but will be, when in operation, the most attractive part of the exhibition. Among other things received yesterday is a Gatling battery gun, from Colt's Fire arms Manufactory, of Hartford, Conn., a formidable looking weapon, a revolver of six barrels, fashioned on the same plan as the death-dealing *mitrailleuse* of the French Army, which created such havoc among the Prussians at the late battle of Worth. There are the usual displacement of washing-machines, wringers, stoves, ranges, gas-fixtures, furniture and other matters pertaining to the household now huddled together, but which in a day or two will be regulated into proper positions.

Taken as a whole, this exhibition promises to surpass any that has yet been held under the auspices of the Institute.

Proposed New Buildings.

The following is the list of proposed new buildings, for which plans on file in the office of the Superintendent of Buildings have been approved since the date of our last report, and for the week ending Thursday, Sept. 8, (yesterday:)

BRICK FRONTS.

Three first-class dwellings, west side of Ninth-avenue, 25 feet south of Fifty-ninth-street, 25 by 40 each, two of three stories and one two stories high; CHAS. TRACEY, owner.

One first-class dwelling, north side of Thirty-sixth-street, 100 feet east of Fifth-avenue, 21 by 50 feet, five stories; GEO. A. ROBBINS, owner.

Two tenement-houses, south side of Thirty-ninth-street, 150 feet east of Ninth-avenue, 25 by 52 feet, three stories; JOHN SCHERTEN, owner.

One second-class dwelling, north side of Ninety-second-street, 225 feet west of Third-avenue, 25 by 50 feet, two stories; JEREMIAH J. SULLIVAN, owner.

One second-class store, No. 207 Grand-street, 17½ by 57 feet, two stories; THOS. A. BENNETT, owner.

Two store and tenement-houses, south-east corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third-street and First-avenue, 25 and 23 by 54 feet, four stories; HENRY FURLING, owner.

One tenement-house, No. 620 West Forty-sixth-street, 25 by 50 feet, four stories; MRS. R. GAUSWALD, owner.

One store and tenement-house, north side of Fifty-ninth-street, 175 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, 25 by 48 feet, four stories; A. A. SZARNICKI, owner.

One public building, corner One Hundred and Seventy-sixth-street and Eleventh-avenue, 100 by 48 feet, three stories; New-York Juvenile Asylum Society, owner.

One work-shop, No. 72 Greenwich-street, (rear,) 50 by 60 feet, one story; ISAAC BELL, owner.

One store and tenement-house, No. 321 Chrystie-street, 25 by 62 feet, five stories; MRS. MORE, owner.

Two tenements, south side of Fifty-ninth-street, 125 feet 10 inches west of First-avenue, 39 by 52 feet, four stories; PETER F. O'REIRE, owner.

One store and dwelling, (second class,) No. 288 Bowery, 18½ by 62 feet, four stories; E. H. WEYMAN, owner.

One factory, north side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth-street, 250 feet east of Fifth-avenue, 25 by 125 feet, one story; Union India-Rubber Company, owners.

One workshop, north side of Thirty-seventh-street, 250 feet east of Tenth-avenue, 25 by 25 feet, two stories; MATTHEW FRIETSCH, owner.

BRICK AND STONE FRONT.

One church, from Laurens to Thompson-street, near Canal-street, 70 by 163 feet, three stories; The Missionary society of the Most Holy Redeemer, owner.

BROWN-STONE FRONTS.

One second-class dwelling, south side of Forty-ninth-street, 175 feet west of Third-avenue, 25 by 58 feet, five stories; GEORGE GERNOCK, owner.

One first-class dwelling, south side of Forty-first-street, 420 feet east of Second-avenue, 17 by 40 feet each, three stories; RICHARD FANNIN, owner.

Seven first-class dwellings, on Snow street, running from West-side to Forty-third-street, 420 feet east of Second-avenue, 17 by 40 feet, three stories; RICHARD FANNIN, owner.

FRAME BUILDING.

One second-class dwelling, north side of Thirty-eighth-street, 275 feet east of Eleventh-avenue, 25 by 50 feet, two stories; JOSEPH SMITA, owner.

RECAPITULATION.

Total number of buildings	26
Brown-stone fronts	14
Brick fronts	20
Brick and stone front	1
Frame building	1
First-class dwellings	8
Second-class dwellings	4
Tenements	5
Stores and tenements	4
Church	1
Work-shops	2
Factory	1
Public building	1

Unsafe Buildings.

Since the last report, and for the week ending yesterday, (Thursday, Sept. 8,) the following buildings have been reported as unsafe in the particulars annexed, at the office of JAMES M. MACGREGOR, Superintendent of the Department of Buildings:

No. 320 West Sixteenth-street, THEODORE KELLY, owner; unsafe foundation wall.

South-west corner of Third-avenue and Fortieth-street, MARTIN VAN HAGEN, owner; unsafe chimneys.

No. 408 West Thirty-fifth-street, Mrs. HANNAH BELLAMY, owner; unsafe generally.

No. 35 Centre-street, A. T. STEWART, owner; unsafe chimney.

No. 41 Duane-street, A. T. STEWART, owner; unsafe chimneys and southerly wall.

No. 487 Seventh-avenue, E. M. CONNOLLY, owner; unsafe side and rear walls—injured by fire.

No. 87 Laurens-street, J. BOULDORIS, owner; walls out of plumb.

No. 18 Baxter-street, (rear,) GIFFORD PALMER, owner; unsafe foundation wall.

No. 208 Greene-street, (rear,) AMOS R. ENO, owner; unsafe rear wall—excavating on adjoining lot.

No. 340 East Thirty-second-street, DANIEL BRENNAN, owner; unsafe foundation wall.

South-east corner of Liberty and Washington streets, FRANCIS BOUTING, owner; unsafe chimney.

No. 15 Leonard-street, (rear,) Mrs. BRANIGAN, owner; unsafe generally.

No. 69 Greenwich-street, JOSEPH NAYLOR, owner; unsafe front wall.

No. 67 Greenwich-street, W. and E. CRUIKSHANK, owners; unsafe walls and lintels.

No. 45 Elm-street, WM. C. MILLER, owner; unsafe south and front walls.

No. 43 Elm-street, (rear,) WM. C. MILLER, owner; unsafe and bulged walls.

No. 219 Water-street, SAMUEL J. LEWIS, owner; unsafe lintels and bolt course.

No. 41 Elm-street, J. M. JONES, owner; unsafe front and northerly walls.

No. 316 Henry-street, CHARLES AERY, owner; unsafe chimneys.

Passing a Worthless Check.

AUGUST VOLLBRACHT was arraigned, yesterday, in the Yorkville Police Court, before Justice BIXBY, upon complaint of MAX LEVINGER, No. 800 Third-avenue, who charged him with passing upon him a worthless check for $20 on the First National Bank of Brooklyn. From LEVINGER'S statement to the Court, it appears that on the 28th of October last he loaned VOLLBRACHT $20, and in payment of this debt the latter gave him the bogus check. In the beginning of November last, when the worthlessness of the check was discovered, a warrant was taken out for VOLLBRACHT'S arrest, but until yesterday he succeeded in evading arrest. Justice BIXBY committed him to answer in default of $1,000 bail. VOLLBRACHT'S lawyer asked if his Honor would take personal property bail, and received a withering rebuke in return.

Long Island City Common Council.

The Long Island City Common Council met at Astoria, yesterday, Mayor BETMANS presiding. A number of resolutions relating to the flagging, paving and improving of sidewalks and highways were presented, but were subsequently sent to the Committee on Streets. A petition concerning the formation of a new hook and ladder company, to be named after A. D. DITMARS, was also referred. A motion to reconsider the previous action of the body in regard to an appropriation of $1,800 for badges, was voted down. A report was then received from one of the Committees, favoring the formation of Blue Oak Hook and Ladder Company No. 2, and of Hunters Engine Company, of Dutch Hills. JAMES B. BARCLAY was nominated by the Mayor to fill a vacancy in the Board of Health. Permission was granted to the Directors of the Ravenswood and Astoria Railroad to build a single track in Vernon-avenue, together with turn-outs, on condition that the line should be completed by the 1st of February next. Wm. LYONS was appointed to act as constable at Hunter's Point ferry and the Long Island Railroad depot. A communication was read from the Corporation Counsel, complaining of the conduct of certain Justices of the Peace at Newtown. He charged them with disregarding several provisions of the Long Island City charter and of acting in a contemptuous manner. The matter was referred to the Committee on Ordinances. The meeting then adjourned.

KNIVES AND PISTOLS.

Emphatic Charge of Judge Bedford to the Grand Jury—Fitting Indorsement by Assistant District-Attorney Pollock—The Murderous Classes to be Put Down.

At the opening of the September term of the Court of General Sessions, yesterday morning, Judge BEDFORD delivered a stirring address to the Grand Jury. After touching upon the usual points, he proceeded to speak of the lawlessness of the day in the following terms:

I learn that the City Prison is in a very crowded condition, and a large number of persons awaiting your action, many of whom are charged with the alleged criminal use of the knife and pistol. The daily Press teem with the fearful details of these deadly weapons—demonstrating the startling fact that there seems to be, as it were, murder in the very atmosphere we breathe. There is in this City a class, and I regret to say, a large class, of men who have no respect for the laws of God or man; they violate both, bolster up their wrongdoings; they believe they can do as with impunity. The time has unquestionably arrived when the authorities, in order to preserve the future welfare of society, are called upon to mete out to these men the utmost rigor of the law, in order that they may realize, as once, the solemn and truthful lesson, that "the way of the transgressor is hard." Let their minds be thoroughly imbued with the fact that, if they will persist in the wanton use of the knife and the pistol in violation of all law and order, the authorities will, in turn, make them taste the bitter fruits of their own misdeeds, even to the ultimate letter of the law. In this way, and in no other, can the strong arm of the law prove, at once, an aegis for the people and a terror to the evil-doer. Gentlemen, each one of you has a deep interest in the preservation of the law; you owe it to the people to whom you now stand in the relation of guardians to see that the law be enforced at all hazards, and that this wanton use of the knife and pistol be emphatically checked by your prompt and righteous action. Most of you, no doubt, are blessed with families. Your wives and little ones, whose welfare you guard (as you do the very apple of your eye, may, at any moment, during the present epidemic of murder, be assaulted by the depraved and abandoned; their only safety, their very protection, is in the sovereignty of the law. Gentlemen, in these days of lawlessness do your duty; nerve your all-powerful arm in the great cause of law and order against these criminals; strike the blows which will force crime to succumb, and then it must follow, as the night the day, that criminals will disappear like frost before the mid-day sun. In doing this you will prove to the law-abiding citizens of this great Metropolis that, in the hour of peril, when dangers threaten life, liberty and property, a Grand Jury is, indeed, the true bulwark of society. The people may rest assured that the District-Attorney and his assistants will cheerfully aid you in your efforts to stem the current of crime by speedily presenting to Petit Juries the indicted parties, and on all proper occasions the Court will promptly mete out punishment full and equal to the offense. In this way will the lawless portion of the community learn that there is no escape from the rigid and emphatic demands of justice.

The Grand Jury then retired, and the Court proceeded to dispose of the calendar. After the Grand Jury had retired a Petit Jury was sworn in, and Mr. District-Attorney addressed them, following up the remarks of his Honor to the Grand Jurors. He declared that a large portion of the violence and disorder that exists in the community today is directly chargeable to the action, or want of proper action, of bodies constituted as the gentlemen he then addressed were. I protest, he continued, before this entire community, we have done whatever lay in our power to have done to bring offenders to the bar of this Court, and present their guilt to juries; but, actuated by appeals to the better part of their humanity, feelings we are all glad to respond to, sympathy for distress wherever they find it, juries have been careless in the discharge of their duties, and on trivial pretexts, actuated by the promptings of their generous sympathies, believing it possible, though not disclosed on the evidence, that the prisoner did not commit the offence, they have given him the benefit of the doubt, and turned him loose on the community to repeat his crimes. The only leniency I propose to extend to a man I believe to be guilty is, to indict him a fair and impartial trial, and it will be no fault of mine, should the guilt be fastened on him, if he shall not suffer the penalty of the law.

The Cricket Field—Further Contest Between the St. George's and New-Yorks.

The game at Hudson City between the New-York and St. George Club, was resumed at about 11 o'clock yesterday A. M., BYRON and EASTWOOD taking the bat, and much to the disappointment of the admirers of BYRON's brilliant score of the day before, he was retired by BUTTERFIELD taking his stumps. EASTWOOD made a couple more, when he also was put on a back seat. ROGERSON and GRIGG sent the ball flying for a while, while COOKE and SMITH have round "Os" to their credit.

The St. George's opened their second innings, but ROGERSON and EASTWOOD being on the spot, retired them with a total of 76 runs. It was thought New-York would easily take the ball, but sad to say, at the fall of the last wicket, the telegraph only gave them 23 runs, of which ROGERSON contributed ten. The full score of the game is as follows:

ST. GEORGE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Cooper, c. Butterfield, b. Rogerson	0	c. Byron, b Rogerson	0
Norley, c. Doyle, b. Rogerson	0		
Carpenter, c. Hughes, b. Rogerson	1	b. Rogerson	0
Gordon, b. Eastwood	0	c. & b. Eastwood	12
Stead, c. Higham, b. Eastwood	3	b. Eastwood	0
Hatfield, c. Cook, b. Eastwood	54	b. Eastwood	0
Butterfield, c. Lambert, b. Eastwood	3	c. Smith, b. Eastwood	10
Radcliff, c. Byron, b. Eastwood	0	b. Rogerson	1
Tebbutt, c. Doyle, b. Eastwood	2	not out	16
Byrne, b. Eastwood	0	b. Grigg	10
Mumford, not out	0	c. Hayward, b. Eastwood	0
Byrne, 1; leg byes, 3; wides, 1	5	Byrne, 3; wides, 1	4
Total	127	Total	76

NEW-YORK.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Higginson, c. Cooper, b. Norley	16	c. Butterfield, b. Norley	0
Doyle, c. and b. Carpenter	8	run out	1
Kellog, b. Norley	4	b. Carpenter	1
Hayward, b. Norley	7	c. Stead, b. Norley	0
Byron, b. Butterfield	30	c. Mumford, b. Norley	5
Higham, c. b. Carpenter	12	not out	0
Eastwood, run out	0	b. Norley	0
Rogerson, c. and b. Norley	27	c. Carpenter, b. Norley	10
Grigg, b. Norley	11	c. Gordon, b. Norley	0
Cooke, not out	0	l. b. w.	2
Smith, c. and b. Norley	0	c. Butterfield, b. Carpenter	1
Byrne, 4; leg byes, 4	8	Byrne, 1; wide, 2	3
Total	118	Total	23

Umpires—Messrs. EASTWOOD and JACKSON. Scorers—Mes.srs. WALDEN and MORDAUNT.

Base-Ball Match Between the Star and Knickerbocker Clubs.

Yesterday the Star and Knickerbocker Clubs contested at a game of base-ball, which resulted in a victory for the former. The following is the score:

STAR.	O.	R.	KNICKERBOCKER.	O.	R.
Chilton, p	1	1	Taylor, 2d b	3	2
Ellery, c. s	2	3	Hinsdale, 1. f	3	2
Price, 1. f	2	2	Purdy, 1st b	4	1
Hunter, 2d b	1	1	Stanton, c. f	2	3
Chittenden, c. f	1	2	Lyon, r. f	3	2
J. Way, r. f	1	1	Hinsdale, Jr., c	0	4
G. Way, r. c	5	1	Slighter, c. s	2	2
Mandlavild, c	1	1	Starwood, p	3	1
Benson, 1st b	4	1	Kettletas, r. s	1	3
Sheffield, 3d b	2	1	Peck, 3d b	2	1
Total	21	13	Total	24	21

INNINGS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.
Star	3	12	1	0	2	2	2	1	—23
Knickerbocker	0	5	0	2	2	3	4	2	—21

Another Tour Among the Nuisances.

Yesterday morning, at the remarkably early hour of 7 o'clock, Commissioners CROCADINE and GROSS, of the Sanitary Committee, President BOSWORTH and City Sanitary Inspector MORRIS started out upon a tour through the west side of the City, as a conclusion of the official inspection they have made, on behalf of the Board of Health, of Metropolitan nuisances. The results of their observations on the east side have been given the public, and it will be remembered that, upon the whole, they found matters in a very bad condition. On the west side, on the contrary, the slaughter-houses and fat-melting establishments were, as a general thing, in good order and tenantcleanness. They especially found a great improvement in that part of the City bordering upon Thirty-sixth and Thirty-eighth streets, west of Tenth-street, which was lately cursed by all manner of vile odors from the works of the New-York Rendering Company and the dumping grounds, both of which nuisances have been abated, as the carcasses is now dumped in boats to be immediately taken away, and the works of the Rendering Company have been entirely closed. The officials found many of the slaughter-houses somewhat offensive by reason of the fact that they are paved with cobble-stones, which gives the blood opportunity to gather and stagnate in the interstices. One house, which was paved with smooth flagging, presented such a favorable contrast that the Board of Health will probably order all the houses to be paved in like manner. The fat-melting establishments on the west side were found to be generally in excellent condition.

The Work of the General Sessions—The Trial of James Hand for the Robbery of $5,000 Worth of Gold Dust—The Conviction Revoked, and the Prisoner Discharged.

After the jury were impanelled, Assistant District-Attorney PELLOWS, yesterday, in the case of JAMES HAND, who was committed before Judge BEDFORD during the July term, moved for permission to enter a *nolle prosequi* against the application for a new trial on the part of the prisoner. He informed the Court that the indictment upon which the conviction was procured was for the robbery of $5,000 worth of gold dust, and at the time of the trial the evidence appeared to be so conclusive that the jury had no other course to adopt than to return a verdict of guilt against the prisoner. Since then, however, he ascertained that that verdict was wholly erroneous; that the prisoner was in no way connected with the robbery, and that the real culprit who been so extraordinary resemblance to HAND, escaped arrest. He did not deem it fair to keep the prisoner in custody any longer, and said that if his motion were acceded to, the prisoner would be placed on his trial to-morrow, and unquestionably discharged.

Judge BEDFORD—Then I understand you are convinced of the prisoner's innocence?

Mr. PELLOWS—Oh! yes, Sir.

Judge BEDFORD—Then I will order his discharge, and formally request him to appear to-morrow. I take upon myself the responsibility.

The prisoner was then discharged.

JAMES SQUIRM pleaded guilty to the charge of obtaining money on false pretences, and was sent to the Penitentiary for eighteen months.

THOMAS O'BRIEN was indicted for a felonious assault on JOHN VANCE, the proprietor of a liquor-store between First and Second avenues, by stabbing him with a knife in the knee on the 26th July. He was convicted and sentenced to State Prison for five years.

The Mutual Protective Musical Society.

This association held a meeting yesterday, at No. 10 Stanton-street. The officers who served last year were re-elected, and the reports of the Secretary and Treasurer were read, showing the institution to be in a prosperous condition. After the transaction of some routine business the meeting adjourned.

Opening of Grammar School No. 34.

The new building of Grammar School No. 34, in Broome-street, between Willett and Sheriff streets, was opened to the public, yesterday afternoon, and was visited by a large number of ladies and gentlemen. The building is 104 feet front by 87½ feet deep and four stories high. The first, or ground floor is set apart for a playground, and is well adapted for use in Winter. The plans of the remaining floors comprise ten class-rooms, besides the main apartment where all the scholars assemble. The building was erected on the site of the old school-house at a cost of less than $100,000. It is rendered fireproof in case of an emergency, and seven stairways by which crews may be obtained in case of an emergency. The furniture is substantial, and the house is provided with all the necessary conveniences. It will be opened for school purposes on Monday next. The Principal is Mr. H. G. MARTIN. Principals of female departments, Mrs. HARRIET N. GOLDING and HANNAH M. GEDNEY.

Proposed Reception of the Albany Zouave Cadets.

The Albany Zouave Cadets will return, this afternoon, from their visit to Philadelphia, and will be the guests of the Seventh Regiment during their brief stay in this City. Col. CLARK has detailed three companies of the Seventh as an escort to the Cadets. The line of march will be as follows: Leaving the foot of Desbrosses-street at 2½ o'clock P. M., through Canal and Broadway to Fourteenth-street; thence to the Fifth-avenue, where the battalion will pass in review before his Honor the Mayor, at the corner of Twenty-second-street, in front of the Bloomingdale Club House. The Albany Cadets will afterwards be escorted to the armory of the Seventh Regiment, and thence to the steamer *Drew*, and will leave for Albany at 6 P. M. The work actively progressing upon the City Hall Park prevents the Mayor from viewing the battalion at the head-quarters of the City Government. This parade promises to be particularly attractive.

Dismantled Oarsmen.

The Atalanta Boat Club, not satisfied with the decision of the judges in the late regatta of the Hudson Amateur Rowing Association, of Pleasant Valley, on Monday last, in which they were fouled by the Gulick Club in the six-oared shell race for the championship, have endeavored to get on another match with them for a prize valued at $600 or $1,000, the boats to be rowed by the same crews; but the Gulicks decline to row again without changing a portion of their crew.

The Gold Market.

Gold opened, yesterday morning, at 114¼ and closed, last evening, at 114. During the day the transactions were light and the fluctuations ranged between 113¾ and 114. The acceptances by the Treasury Department of bids for $6,000,000 worth of bonds, instead of $3,000,000, as advertised for, tended to strengthen the market, which otherwise might have fallen still lower than the lowest price noted above.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Ingraham P. J.—Court opens at 10 A. M.—Calendar called at 12 M.

Nos. 87—Pillows vs. Swift.
189—Mosenson vs. Weber.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Held by Curtis J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos. 1580—Judson vs. Law.
1650—Himendorf vs. McLaughlin.
1661—Hellman vs. Tuska.
1727—Bergman vs. Selbinger.
1728—Forster vs. Crotty.
1729—Horn vs. O'Brien.
1731—Lichtenstadter vs. Engel.

Nos. 1746—Howe vs. Baker.
1748—Cole vs. Crowster.
1756—Long vs. O'Brien.
1757—Dwinne vs. Bunell.
1758—Weinberg vs. Rothschild.
1759—Hughes vs. Deegan.
1760—Amidon vs. Zachariah.
1761—Gessing vs. Scobold.

Part II.—Held by Joachimsen, J.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Nos. 1531—Ferris vs. Merrill.
1566—Laughran vs. Ohler.
1661—Hanson vs. Wright.
1722—Schmidt vs. Schmidt.
1723—Mierson vs. Turk.
1724—Weigelman vs. Day.
1725—Garvey vs. Cullen.
1727—Rohr vs. Sauler-cort.
1729—Watson vs. Sanford.
1744—Williams vs. Wise.
1755—Van Orden vs. Studdam.

Nos. 1740—Otto vs. The Mechanics Fire Ins. Co.
1749—Lewis vs. Middleton.
1750—Rectenstatel vs. Belmont.
1752—Chapell vs. Chase.
1754—The N. Y. Central and Hudson River R. R. Co. vs. Hann.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Bedford, J.

Nos. 1—The People vs. Samuel Hart; robbery.
2—The People vs. James Johnson; robbery.
3—The People vs. George Palmer; burglary.
4—The People vs. Goteon Hay; embezzlement.
5—The People vs. Frederick Beck; false pretences.
6—The People vs. Frederick Goodall; false pretences.
7—The People vs. James Martin; forgery.

Nos. 8—The People vs. James Campbell; grand larceny.
9—The People vs. Henry P. Irving; grand larceny.
10—The People vs. Barbara Hartman; grand larceny.
11—The People vs. Joseph Gregory; grand larceny.
12—The People vs. Mary A. Burns; grand larceny.
13—The People vs. Gilbert W. Thomas; grand larceny.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.—SEPT. 8.

By Presiding Justice Ingraham.

Grulchy vs. Smith; I do not think such a judgment can be rendered at Chambers; it should be put on the Special Term calendar, and the judgment rendered there.

In the matter of Mary De Peyster for the appointment of a trustee; report confirmed.

Hedden vs. Le Forbe, Silverburg vs. Negbaur; motions denied; costs to abide event.

Kuner vs. Perkins; motion denied.

Lewis vs. Freund; motion granted as to stay.

Gillespie vs. Gillespie; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted.

Spodeker vs. Hassold; motion granted, with costs.

Walsh vs. Murray; motion denied, with $10 costs.

Smith vs. Thorn, and Richards vs. Fuller; motions granted.

Carey vs. Blair; motion denied.

Willman vs. Willman; reference ordered.

Archer vs. Lockier; motion granted.

Brown vs. Robinson; motion denied, with $10 costs.

Ball vs. The Hudson River Railroad Company; motion granted, so far as relates to the purposes mentioned.

Steigler vs. Ely; motion granted on discontinuing the county suit and payment of costs.

Simon vs. Morrison; motion granted, with $10 costs.

Lager vs. Cohen, (three cases;) report of referee filed; judgment of foreclosure and sale granted.

By Judge Cardozo.

The Mercantile Mutual Insurance Company vs. John Shay; motion denied.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—SEPT. 8.

By Judge Van Brunt.

Sayre vs. Waugh; case settled.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—SEPT. 8.

Before Judge Curtis and a Jury.

A STOCK TRANSACTION—STATUTE OF FRAUDS.

Thomas A. Hovland vs. *Ward B. Robinson.*—The plaintiff brought this action to recover the sum of $775, alleged to be due to him from the defendant, under the following circumstances: On the 25th of August, 1866, the plaintiff says he made a contract with the defendant for the sale to the latter of 1,000 shares of Erie Railway stock at 49¾ per cent. on the par value, the stock to be delivered the next day. This transaction was made by defendant through the plaintiff's broker, and a memorandum of the transaction was made at the time. The day following, Erie stock declined, and the plaintiff claimed that the parties then met, and an arrangement was entered into whereby, instead of the fulfillment of the original contract, it was arranged that the plaintiff should pay the difference, the latter being the amount per cent. on the 1,000 shares, with interest. For this sum the Court was asked to give judgment.

The answer of the defendant, after denying generally the allegations of the complaint, set up the statute of frauds in this, that there was no note or memorandum in writing signed by the party to be charged at the time of the making of the agreement, as required by the laws of this State. When the plaintiff rested his case a motion was made by the counsel for the defendant for a dismissal of the complaint on the grounds above indicated.

Judge Curtis, in deciding the motion, said it was no part of his duty to determine whether or not the defendant in repudiating his agreement with the plaintiff had acted the part of a gentleman, and be a man of honor. He had but decide the case upon the law as found in the statutes of this State. The fact was that this contract for the written bet, been made by an agent or broker of the plaintiff. The law required that it should be signed by the party to be charged, in cases of executory contracts, where the consideration is over $50, and the money is paid at the time. As matter of law the complaint must be dismissed with costs. Thirty days were given in which to make a case on appeal.

For plaintiff, Mr. D. M. Porter; for defendant, Messrs. Cox & Clark.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—SEPT. 8.

Before Judge Joseph F. Daly.

ALLEGED LARCENY—INSUFFICIENT AFFIDAVITS.

In re Margaret Pollock.—In this case, which was reported in the TIMES yesterday, the District-Attorney made return this morning to the writ of habeas corpus. From those papers it appears that the petitioner was charged with stealing $400 from a man named Charles Teague. When arrested, it was ascertained that the girl admitted her guilt; but the affidavit of the fact was not sworn to by the officer to whom the alleged confession was made, but by Teague, the party claiming to have lost the money.

Judge DALY held the affidavit to be insufficient and discharged the prisoner. In the course of the proceedings, Judge DALY remarked that the testimony contained in the papers was very frivolous on which to hold a party in prison. To the extent of the law, that parties should be sent to Sing Sing on such testimony, that crime must be stopped in its infancy. Counsel for the prisoner remarked that if such was the practice on the part of the people, then there will be a great deal of practice in its behalf.

Henry Wehle for the petitioner. George W. Blunt opposing.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Sept. 8.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

$8,000 U. S. 5-20 R. '67	111⅛	100 West. U. Tel.c.	84⅝
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C. '67	111⅛	100 do.sec.	85
6,000 U. S. 5-20 C. '65	111⅛	100 Pacific Mail	40⅝
$1,000 U. S. 5-20 C. '67, new	110⅛	200 do.bet. cash	40⅝
20,000 do.	110⅛	110 Am. M. U. Ex.	61
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C. '67	110⅛	100 Erie	50⅝
20,000 do.	110⅛	100 N. Y. Cen. & Hud.	105
1,000 do.	110⅛	bet. cash	95⅝
10,000 U. S. Cur. '65	111⅛	400 do.	95⅝
4,000 Tenn. 6s, n. s.	62⅝	100 Erie Railway	50⅝
5,000 Tenn. 6s, o. s.	62⅝	200 do.	50⅝
5,000 N. C. 6s, O. Issue	31	100 Reading R.	90⅝
3,000 S. C. 6s, o. s.	67	200 do.	90⅝
Jan. & July	68⅝	100 Erie Railway	50⅝
1,000 Louisiana 6s	72	100 L. S. & M. S.	93⅝
1,000 Vir. 6s, R. ctf.	62	100 do.bet. cash	93⅝
1,000 Mo. 6s, C. Rds	38⅝	50 Pacific M.	40⅝
1,000 Tol. & W. 2d	39	200 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	77⅝
2,000 C., R. I. & P. 7s	77⅝	40 Chi. & Alton	112⅝
1,000 do.	77⅝	110 Del., L. & W.	101
1,000 Chesapeake 6s	65	100 do.	101
1,000 Chi. & Alton Iss.	100	100 do.bot. cash	100⅝
Bds.	99⅝	25 N. Y. & N. H.	180
8,000 Chi. & Mil. 7s	80	25 N. J. Railroad	115
1,000 Ill. Cen. 7s	90	100 Mariposa Pf.	25⅝
20 Com. Nat. Bank	95	100 Ohio & Miss.	34⅝
10 Pk'r of Commerce	238⅝	100 C., C. & I. Com.	37⅝
100 Mariposa Pf.	10	100 do.	37⅝
100 do.bot. cash	10⅝		

SECOND BOARD—12½ AND 1 P. M.

$20,000 U. S. 6s, '81, C.	114⅝	100 Wells-Far. Ex. S.	24
12,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new	109⅝	10 United States Ex.	48
10,000 do.	109⅝	100 N. Y. C. & Hud.	95
20,000 U. S. 6s, R., '81	114⅝	100 do.bot. cash	94⅝
70,000 U. S. 1,500 C., '67	112⅝	100 do. N. Y. C. R. C.	91⅝
do.	110⅝	1,300 do.bot. cash	92
1,000 U. S. 10-40 R.	105⅝	100 Erie Railway	49⅝
10,000 U. S. Cur.	111⅝	100 do.	49⅝
5,000 S. C. 6s, o. s.	67	100 Harlem	134
Jan. & July	68⅝	20 Reading R.	90⅝
1,000 Mo. 6s, H. & St. Jo. Iss.	38⅝	100 L. S. & M. S.	93⅝
Jos. Issue	30⅝	100 do.	93⅝
1,000 Ala. Tenn. 7s	64⅝	100 do.bot. cash	93⅝
3,000 Tol. & W. 2d	39	100 do.	93⅝
100 West. U. Tel. sec.	84⅝	200 Del., L. & W.	100⅝
100 Mariposa Pf.	10⅝	200 do.	100⅝
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THURSDAY, Sept. 8—P. M.

The Treasury Department today availed of the reserved option in the public proposals of the Secretary to take $3,000,000 United States 5-20s for the Sinking Fund, in place of $2,000,000 advertised for. The announcement to this was the large offering of $6,000,000, although the larger portion of the sum was above the market price of the Bonds, (adding the accumulated Gold Interest,) yesterday and this morning. The Government did well to take this additional million. They would have done better, in view of the heavy Currency and Gold balances lying idle in the Treasury, to have taken $6,000,000 in place of $3,000,000. It is a subject of public congratulation, however, that the ground has been broken in availing of the reserved option, and we have no doubt that the precedent of today will be followed up, both in respect to the sales of Gold and the purchases of 5-20s. There is but one expression of opinion from the Administration Press in this quarter in regard to unlocking and saving interest upon the idle Currency balances now withheld from employment in trade, and a good part of the unnecessary Gold balances, hoarded in the Treasury, by turning both into United States 5-20s, and thereby stopping 6 ⅌ cent. Gold interest on so much of the Public Debt. It is not pretended, with the large incoming Internal Taxes, that the Currency balances of $85,000,000 is needed, or will be needed for months to come, nor is it at all probable the Gold sold out of the surplus Customs would leave the Treasury or the Country in the present ruling of the Foreign Exchanges. The Gold itself would remain where it now is, represented by Certificates of Deposit, which pass into the Banks, and thereby strengthen their position for the demands of the Fall trade.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR.

Paris is again reported fully prepared for siege. A proclamation was yesterday published and posted about the city, calling on the people to bury all differences and defend the capital, and never to agree to the dismemberment of France. The city is provisioned for two months for 2,000,000 of men. The Prussians are expected to appear before the walls today. The enemy is advancing in three *corps d'armée*, one of which has arrived at Soissons, in the Department of Aisne. Laon has been summoned by the advance guard of the latter, but has shut its gates and prepared to resist.

In Paris reports are received from all quarters that mediation is contemplated. From London it is reported that Lord LYONS and Chevalier NIGRA, the English and Italian Ministers at Paris, are about to go to King WILLIAM and negotiate a cessation of hostilities. A Paris dispatch says that in case of mediation it is understood that the English, Italian, Spanish and American Ministers will go to the King's headquarters. Our Washington correspondent telegraphs that our Government has received an appeal directly from the new French Government, asking intervention of the United States in behalf of peace, on such terms as France can accept without dishonor. Minister WASHBURNE yesterday notified JULES FAVRE that he had been authorized to recognize the new Republic, and offer the congratulations of the American Government and people; and congratulatory dispatches were received by the new Government from the Republicans of Spain. The announcement of American recognition was received by JULES FAVRE with emotion; and yesterday afternoon the people gathered in crowds before the American Legation in Paris, displayed the French and American flags, and expressed their gratitude in various ways.

Another account of the appearance of NAPOLEON while a prisoner, with a graphic description of his train, is given in our cable dispatches. It agrees generally with those previously published in the TIMES. A dispatch from Berlin announces that the Queen has graciously sent her *chef de cuisine* to the Ex-Emperor, at Wilhemshoehe.

A London dispatch gives currency to a rumor from Marseilles that the Republic of Italy has been proclaimed in Florence, with HUMBERT, the Crown Prince, as President, and that the Italians are rapidly preparing to enter the Papal States.

GENERAL.

The Labor Reform Convention at Worcester, Mass., nominated WENDELL PHILLIPS for Governor of that State, yesterday, and JAMES CHATTAWAY Lieutenant-Governor.

The True Blue Order had a burlesque parade at Schenectady yesterday.

The Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association at Poughkeepsie adjourned *sine die* yesterday. The next meeting is to be at Utica.

The Atlantic Base-ball Club, of Brooklyn, beat the Flour City Club, of Rochester, yesterday, by a score of 29 to 15.

The election in Wyoming Territory took place yesterday. Mr. JONES, the Republican candidate for delegate to Congress, was elected by a small majority. The women of the Territory very generally exercised the privilege of voting.

The Republican State Convention at Saratoga reassembled yesterday morning, completed the nominations and named the State Central Committee. The full ticket is as follows: Governor, STEWART L. WOODFORD; Lieutenant-Governor, SIGISMUND KAUFFMAN; Controller, ABIAH W. PALMER; Canal Commissioners, ABSALOM NELSON and ALEX. BARKLEY; State Prison Inspector, JOHN PARKHURST.

Numerous Indian depredations in New-Mexico are reported. Four men, connected with FRENCH'S train, were killed near Fort Smith a few days ago.

The Albany Cadet Zouaves were entertained by the Philadelphians yesterday.

A terrible gale occurred off the coast of Nova Scotia on Sunday last. Many vessels were wrecked and numerous lives lost, but the particulars have not yet been ascertained.

An excursion party from Long Branch broke through a foot-bridge at Tom's River, N. J., yesterday, and eight persons were drowned.

President GRANT returned to Washington yesterday, where he remains until this evening. Among the official business transacted during his visit to the capital is the appointment of Judge RICHARDSON Acting Attorney-General during the absence of Mr. AKERMAN, and the nomination of STEPHEN C. ROWAN as Vice-Admiral in the navy.

The Council of Temperance men held an adjourned meeting at Saratoga, yesterday, and recommended the cordial support of the Republican nominations to the temperance men of the State.

The diminutive craft, the *City of Esquas*, three tons burden, arrived safely at Boston, yesterday, having made the trip from Queenstown in eighty days.

A fire occurred in Baltimore yesterday, which destroyed the steam saw-mill of BURMAN & BUNCH, the foundry of G. W. DUNSON & Co., and three or four small buildings, involving a loss of upward of $75,000.

Is it Peace?

The German armies are drawing nearer and nearer to Paris, and by Saturday we may hear that preparations for the siege have actually been commenced. This is perhaps the most critical moment of the whole war. The French people are now bewildered by the sudden change of government, disheartened by a long series of defeats, and in no condition to resist the progress of huge victorious armies. Notwithstanding all that has been said to the contrary, we still believe that Paris could not hold out long against the force now converging upon it. The Provisional Government appear to be coming to the same conclusion, for they have made an appeal to the United States, in common with other Governments, for mediation with a view to peace. Under these circumstances, the duration of the war ought now to be measured by days. The general sentiment of mankind is that blood enough has been shed, and that France has been made to drink deep enough of the cup of humiliation. The Germans have accomplished all that they fought for, if we may believe the declaration made by the King of Prussia at the outset of the war—namely, that he took up arms against the French Emperor, not against the French people. It is time now that the King made known on what terms he would be willing to consent to peace, and we earnestly trust that the new Republic would be able to accept these terms. Germany can scarcely wish to carry on a war of revenge. Hitherto it has stood well before the world, but sympathy begins to be felt for France in this hour of her sorrow and isolation. The bombardment of Paris, without any chance being given to the French people to conclude peace, could not fail to increase this sympathy.

It is evident from the news we publish this morning that the Parisians are deeply touched by the prompt recognition of the new Republic on the part of our Government. Great crowds of the Garde Mobile and other citizens joined in an enthusiastic demonstration, yesterday, before the American Legation. The good offices of our Government could never be better employed than in the attempt to restore the blessings of peace to a people whose ancestors helped to found our own Republic. They would be grateful for such a boon, and the cause which Germany has at heart would not be in the faintest degree imperiled. No one can now suppose that German unity is threatened, or that German soil is likely to be profaned by invasion. With the object of the war accomplished, hostilities ought to come to an end. Let us hope that the moderation of the King will triumph over the counsels of the more extreme section of his advisers.

The Position of England.

There is something ominous in the criticisms which are heaped upon Queen VICTORIA by the recognized exponents of moneyed and mercantile opinion in England. Attacks upon royalty are not new, and, in the quarter from which they have almost invariably proceeded, not specially significant; but, when the organs of capital echo complaints against the Queen, and pass severe judgments upon the attitude of the monarchy under the influence of a shock which shakes Europe to its centre, we may conclude that the public feeling on the subject is neither slight nor evanescent in its character. The war has everywhere brought discontent to the surface. The possibilities of the Crimean war led the late husband of the Queen to declare that representative government was on its trial. Now, the probabilities of the Franco-Prussian struggle compel English respectability to arraign the apathy of the Queen as a disgrace to herself, and a source of weakness to the country.

The heart of England is given over to what is called "neutrality," which, practically interpreted, means the systematic profiting by the calamities of others. While the ocean outlets of Germany are closed by French fleets, and Germany in turn is tearing the throat of France, England proposes to make money at the cost of both. She tried it once before, when the American Union was battling for its life, but the experiment on that occasion was not remunerative. England made enemies of North and South, and ran up an account which she would be very unwilling to settle. Despite that experience, she has played the same game now, and, according to present appearances, with a prospect of a similar result. One Power sees in England's cold, calculating spirit a sorry return for the fidelity with which French statesmen have cultivated an English alliance. The other resents as a wrong, to be hereafter redressed, a version of international law which renders neutrality a cloak for sinister and unfriendly transactions. England will probably for the second time discover that her theory of neutrality "does not pay."

The prospect of a reckoning of the most unpleasant kind is not the only consideration which renders England uneasy. She is mortified and humbled by a consciousness that her influence in the councils of Europe is on the wane. The avoidance of the responsibility which attaches to power has been construed as a sign of want of spirit; the eagerness to assume an attitude of seeming fairness to the belligerents has been rewarded with contempt. The conviction spreads that the England of today is not the England of other days. In its worship of mercantile interests, it has sacrificed many of the traditions of national greatness. Its business ledger has sheathed its attention until the grand idea of national obligations has been lost. The sneer of the First NAPOLEON has become a fact. The England which once played a proud part in European affairs has sunk into "a nation of shop-keepers." The policy of the Government is characterized most of all by timidity,—it is a policy in which fear never ceases to be apparent. And the sovereign who might be supposed to share some portion of the national responsibility, thinks more of her German relatives than of the English people, and hurries off to a Scottish moor with a disregard of impending danger which scarcely comports with sanity. Governments based on principles dictated by "shopkeepers" have at last brought England to a pitch of degradation she has never touched before.

We state the case as it looks at this distance, and as it appears to both Germany and France. The Hamburg *Boersenhalle* alludes to "that social decomposition which now threatens the social existence of England" as something which Germans have been slow to acknowledge; but the course of the English Government during the last two months has made further skepticism impossible. What others see, England begins to feel. And the feeling manifests itself in the first instance by complaints against the Queen and attacks upon the Government. England's "herculean efforts" at this critical moment are tauntingly represented as having "succeeded in restraining Greece from hurling her vast energies into the contest." That seems to be the measure of England's diplomatic influence. A hint that it contemplates an attempt at mediation elicits from Germany a defiance which frightens Mr. GLADSTONE and his colleagues out of their wits. There is now no PITT, no PALMERSTON even, to suggest a policy. Mr. GLADSTONE'S soul shakes within him, and his knees tremble. Prussia might swallow France, for aught that England dare say or do to prevent it. At the same time, England has not made a friend of Prussia. In fact, she is without a friend in the world.

The English people are complaining of the humiliation their rulers have invited. While the Government stands with folded arms, and the Queen slumbers in the seclusion of Balmoral, the people begin to realize the dangers which the spoliation and subjugation of France may entail upon themselves. The tide of popular sympathy is turning. For a time it flowed toward Prussia,—now it ebbs in the direction of France. The meeting at Newcastle-on-Tyne, reported this morning, is but one of many tokens of the change. The sympathy is partly with a republic for its own sake. When will a republic be declared in England? She will never be great again until that new era arrives.

Interoceanic Canals.

Although the financial success of the Suez Canal must need time for its realization, there can be no question that it is one of the most striking engineering triumphs of the age, and its completion has not unnaturally excited renewed hopes that a similar undertaking will, ere long, do for the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans what the much sneered-at enterprise of LESSEPS has done for the Mediterranean and Red Seas. The benefits which would accrue, not merely to the commerce of our vast seaboard, but to that of the civilized world, are too obvious to need more than passing allusion. The only question for consideration is the route to be adopted, in cutting through the narrow isthmus which connects the Northern with the Southern Continent, and there is no lack of choice, if enthusiasts are to be believed. No less than thirteen different points of arrival and departure have been selected as the termini of this new highway to the Eastern Indies—the length of the proposed canals varying from thirty to 208 miles, involving in some cases tunnel-work of from two and a half to eight miles, and passing over summit-altitudes of which the least is 108 and the greatest 2,956 feet above the sea level. The practicability, however, of many of these routes is more than doubtful, and three only can be regarded as challenging public attention at the present moment. These are known as the "Darien," "Tehuantepec," and "Nicaragua" schemes, and respectively find warm supporters among high engineering authorities.

Regarding the Darien route, a treaty is in the course of negotiation with the Colombian Government, of which the most important provisions were noted in the letter of a correspondent published in these columns a short time since. A strong belief in the feasibility of the proposed canal evidently exists, both on the part of the Colombian authorities and of many Americans. Admiral DAVIS, who officially reported upon the subject in 1866, was of opinion that the Isthmus of Darien presented superior natural advantages. "It is here," he says, "that we must look for a solution of the question of an interoceanic ship-canal." But he admits that at the time he wrote there did not "exist the means of determining, even approximately, the most practicable route for a ship-canal across the Isthmus." An exploration now in progress under Government auspices may ascertain facts highly favorable to the Admiral's conclusions, but at present "an approximate survey," confessedly imperfect, by Mr. GISBORNE, furnishes the only data upon which to found any calculations. Mr. GISBORNE'S estimate is for a canal forty-two miles in length, passing through seven or eight tunnels, (the mountains to be penetrated rising to a height of 980 feet,) and costing about sixty-five millions of dollars. Two other routes have, indeed, been projected from the same Pacific terminus, but have not been described in sufficient detail to command attention. It would seem that, until the survey now being made is completed, the practicability of the Darien route is uncertain; and, considering the engineering difficulties it in any case presents, there is room for doubt as to the wisdom of its adoption in preference to others.

The route by way of Tehuantepec was originally surveyed for railroad purposes, and has only recently been advocated for a canal. The exhaustive surveys of Messrs. SIDELL and J. J. WILLIAMS are by no means favorable to its claims for the latter purpose, easy as it might be to overcome difficulties of grade in the construction of a land line. The length of the projected water-way is 190 miles, and the summit height is 855 feet. One of the chief objections urged against it is that its Pacific terminus at Ventosa is pronounced by competent navigators to be "exceedingly boisterous, possessing also a bad anchorage." The official report of 1868 indorses the opinion held by preceding surveyors, that "this route possesses but little merit as a practicable line for the construction of a ship-canal." It does not appear that an opposite opinion is held by a very large number of those who have studied the subject, though some eminent engineers have expressed their belief to the contrary. The exhaustive works published upon this route have, perhaps, permitted the public to become better acquainted with its characteristics than with those of any rival line.

The Nicaragua route has for a long period attracted considerable attention, and is alluded to at some length in the official report, which speaks of it unfavorably. The chief reasons to be urged against its adoption, appear to lie, not in the construction of the canals intended to connect the Nicaragua Lake with the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, but in the unsatisfactory conditions of the ports of departure. "Costly improvements," says the report, "possessing the character of artificial harbors, will be necessary at the two points of departure from the lake; and the seaports of Greytown and Brito, at the two ends of the line, will require costly and extensive improvements in the way of excavations, piles, jetties, breakwaters, &c." The line of country chosen, is, owing to the low elevation of the summit level—the lake itself being stated by Mr. BODY, the President of the Central American Transit Company, to be twelve feet *lower* than the reservoir at Central Park—peculiarly adapted for canal construction; nor has any attempt been made by Admiral DAVIS to deny its advantages in this respect. A curious blunder has, however, crept into the statement of Col. ABERT, who assumes the height of the divide between the lake and the Pacific to be six hundred feet above the sea level, instead of forty-six. The error arises from locating the route some twenty miles to the southward of its true position, and making San Juan del Sur instead of Brito its Pacific port.

Conceding that the operations alluded to by Admiral DAVIS would be necessary at this latter port and Greytown, the advantages of the Nicaragua route would seem to be; no tunneling and a limited number of locks; a healthy location; the opportunity of employing cheap labor undisturbed by fears of fever and pestilence, with an inexhaustible supply of water for the use of the canal. Against these must be put the necessity of the harbor works before alluded to. And this reduces the question to one of comparison between these and seven or eight miles of tunneling. The report of the expedition now surveying Darien may, of course, materially affect calculations based on imperfect knowledge. If a route can be discovered which will permit the construction of an "open strait" canal, that via Nicaragua will necessarily be inferior; but unless this is done, the line to be finally adopted must depend upon the comparative difficulties of driving tunnels through solid rock, and dredging sand-banks, in order to form or improve the terminal harbors.

A True Hero Gone.

That man must have a hard heart who can hear of the death of Marshal MCMAHON without regret or sympathy. The brave old soldier was ordered to discharge a task of superhuman difficulty, and after fighting like a hero, and surmounting many obstacles, he was driven into a corner by overwhelming numbers, and there in a last desperate engagement received a mortal wound. His physical sufferings must have been intense, from the nature of his injuries; but far more intense—more bitter than the bitterness of death itself—must have been the anguish of mind he passed through during the last few days at Sedan. Merciful indeed would it have been for him if the shell which so cruelly wounded him had killed him outright on the field of battle. He had been deprived of the use of his limbs ever since, and while thus stricken down, he had to learn the afflicting news of the surrender of the army to which he was so devoted, and the final defeat of all his hopes and plans. Ever since the 3d of August, when his troops were defeated at Wissembourg, poor MCMAHON has been endeavoring to fight his way to the relief of BAZAINE, through armies from twice to four times the strength of his own. He failed, where every man in his position would have failed. Those who have taken the trouble to follow his movements from time to time on the map, and marked the positions of the German armies, will be well aware that no skill, no bravery, no possible disposition of his forces could have saved MCMAHON—unless, indeed, he had moved back upon Paris in the first instance. But his orders were doubtless peremptory—he could not leave BAZAINE without attempting to relieve him. Had he done so, everybody would have cried out, "What a frightful blunder"—and none would have exclaimed more loudly than those who now pretend to criticise the dead Marshal's plans. It is very easy, after events are accomplished, to point out how they ought to have been ordered from the first. MCMAHON did his duty, and he died in the discharge of it. There was a time when even foes honored a man like this. Such times have gone by; now the "spirit of chivalry" teaches us to put on war paint like savages, and dance round the open grave of an enemy. But the world at large will see in the ill-fated MCMAHON a great man, a faithful soldier, a loyal servant of his country, a man of calm and intrepid spirit in the midst of overwhelming disasters—in a word, a true hero, cast in the old heroic mold, earnest, true to his word, self-sacrificing—capable of giving up all the best years of his life to his country, and then dying for it. May his memory be green in the land which he strove so valiantly to serve, and may his misfortunes be forgotten in the splendid courage and iron-hearted endurance with which he faced them to the last!

The Logic of Betting.

Man is described by many philosophers as a rational being, yet he is consistent in nothing so much as in his contempt for reason. The argument of force triumphs always over the nicest distinctions of the dialectician. Time was when the knottiest problems of logic or of ethics, a discrepancy of fact, an error of date, were summarily settled by appeal to arms. If mediæval Smith and Brown differed, for example, on the composition of the moon, instead of wrangling for hours without definite result, one simply knocked the other down—and the question was forever at rest between them. There were advantages, it must be confessed, in this mode of adjusting differences of opinion. It was brief, it was conclusive, and it saved time and temper. In most civilized communities, however, the obvious disadvantages of this method have brought it into disfavor. Besides, physical superiority has somewhat fallen from its old high estate; it is a man's bank account, and not his biceps—except, perhaps, at our municipal elections—that marks his value. So, for the argument of physical force, we substitute the argument of moral force; for the logic of the sword—in individual disputes, at least—we recur to the syllogism of the betting-book.

And it is certainly not to be gainsaid that the change may be, in a certain sense, advantageous. The wager is a wonderful settler of controversy, and, indeed, of controversialists. The value of an opinion is speedily and accurately measured by what is termed in the West a pecuniary estimate. To be sure there is such a thing as carrying the principle too far, as in that California Court of Justice, where the counsel made a bet with the Judge that he was right on a point of law. But there may be situations in which betting seems an excusable means of enforcing conviction, and one of these is exemplified in the present war.

When M. THOMAS, of Paris, wagered two hundred thousand francs against half that amount that the French Army would be in Berlin by the 15th of August, he not only exhibited a high degree of patriotic confidence and courage, but he adopted a most ingenious device for spoiling the enemy. The merit of his manœuvre is not lessened by the fact that he has lost, any more than Marshal MCMAHON'S heroism and death are tarnished by defeat. So, too, when Col. VON HOLSTEIN offered to bet M. DE GIRARDIN twenty thousand francs that the regiment of the former would march past the Parisian residence of the latter on or before the 15th day of September, the editor of *La Liberté* would have deserved very ill of his country had he not accepted the offer. The only trouble in the matter seems to be, that in the settlement of such wagers duty and honor may conflict. Payment on either side at least during the continuance of the war might very well be construed as giving aid and comfort to the enemy. This seems to be a difficulty which sporting casuistry might be taxed to solve.

Nevertheless, the principle is a good one, and if the respective nations of these patriotic betters would only adopt it, how much bloodshed and desolation would be saved. If France and Prussia, for example, instead of resorting to the dread arbitrament of battle, had only staked a few millions apiece on the correctness of their respective views, their dispute might have been settled quite as conclusively as it is apt to be by the uncertain chance of war. Nations, however, in this regard, are far behind individuals. When they arrive at a similar degree of enlightenment we may look for the millenium—when there will be no such thing as differences of opinions, and the name of THOMAS AQUINAS will be an abomination to men.

A Plea for Prize-Fighting.

Those who have read Mr. WILKIE COLLINS' new novel, *Man and Wife*, will remember the powerful argument it enforces against exaggerated physical culture. A reaction against Muscular Christianity was inevitable, and this is one of the forms in which it has found expression. Geoffrey Delamayn is no doubt to some extent a caricature, but he is certainly no more a caricature than Squeers or Crummles, or the gentlemen of the "Circumlocution Office," all of whom are acknowledged to have wrought their share of good by drawing ridicule and condemnation upon the evils of which they were impersonations. In such sketches the coloring must be high and generously laid on to produce the requisite effect. It also seems a necessary condition that the shades or opposing tints should be judiciously ignored. A precisely judicial or literal exposition is hardly possible in fiction, and where it may be supposed to damage the impression that is aimed at, its absence is, at all events, easily forgiven. In practical discussion, however, it is well to hear both sides, and, in our judgment, no harm is done when gentlemen like Dr. MORSE, who spoke, the other day, before the Farmers' Club of St. Louis, deliberately and from conviction advocate what most right-thinking people think objectionable.

Dr. MORSE, it appears, thinks that prize-fighting is a very fine thing. It does for men, he finds, what racing does for horses. The Doctor has read, with a great deal of profit, the training intending pugilists have to go through. He thinks that experience of this sort shows what men should eat, drink, and avoid—highly useful knowledge, we cannot deny—and how they should exercise in order to develop their physical system. He has studied the minutiæ of the prize-fighters' mode of living, he said, and had made it his business, as a physician, to investigate the matter. On the strength of this professionally-acquired information, Dr. MORSE suggested the propriety of introducing prize-fights as a regular part of the proceedings of agricultural fairs. He thought TOM ALLEN and MIKE MCCOOLE might be induced, for a premium of, say one thousand dollars, to lend their valuable aid to such gatherings, and, by a good "dashing mill," to enhance their attraction and profit.

Now there is not the least doubt that Dr. MORSE is, to some extent, right in this matter. Prize-fighting has its merits beyond a shadow of question. The difficulty, however, is that its demerits greatly outweigh them. Even if we admit the physical advantages of training for the ring, the moral disadvantages which are its inseparable concomitants are immeasurably greater; and if it be claimed that the same disadvantages attend horse-racing it remains to be said, first, that men are not brutes, and second, that the contest is not one of emulation only, but of mutual destruction. Besides, this Geoffrey Delamayn, who runs a race instead of fighting a battle, is a type of what experience shows his one-sided training is likely to bring about. His nervous and muscular systems break down together in the struggle. Of course, it may be objected that training should not be one-sided but versatile. But only to Crichtons and Guy Livingstones is given the possibility of such things. They live in the rosy tints of fiction, and not in the sober gray of reality. In actual life the adept at pugilism appears to become more animal and less human in almost exact proportion to his skill in his art. We have a right, moreover, to look at the proclivities the cultivation of that art encourages in estimating its general tendency. The prize-fighter's habits and associations speak for themselves. He gravitates, it may be said, in retiring from his profession, to callings which are not universally held to be the legitimate objects of ambition. In England he becomes a publican—that is to say, he keeps a pot-house—and in America he generally does something worse.

As the object of agricultural fairs is presumably to encourage what is wholesome and useful, we take it for granted that in proposing to introduce prize-fighting as one of their exercises Dr. MORSE was not quite serious. He probably intended a joke at the expense of his evidently somewhat liberal-minded associates. If this is not in truth the case, it must be owned that Dr. MORSE presents a curious example of the occasional retrograding or paradoxical spirit that diversifies the monotony of an otherwise progressive age.

Recognition of the French Republic.

Our Minister at Paris has recognized the French Republic, pursuant to instructions from the State Department. The terms of Mr. WASHBURNE'S published letter on the subject, are, as they ought to be, cordial and positive. The American people, he truly says, offer their hearty sympathy with the great movement, and sincerely desire its success. The telegraph reports that Mr. WASHBURNE'S oral announcement was received with satisfaction by M. JULES FAVRE, the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

But the message of M. FAVRE to the Government at Washington still remains unanswered. It will, no doubt, be brought before the Cabinet meeting today, and we trust that a response worthy of the occasion will be transmitted without delay. It is proper that the leaders of French Republicanism, beset as they are with difficulties and perils, should be assured of the friendship and moral support of the United States. Mere recognition they will have from monarchies. This country can not only go further, but is bound to go much further in the declaration of its interest in the success of the new Republic. The overthrow of the Empire changes the aspect of the whole question. Without abating our regard for the Germans, or our appreciation of the goodness of their cause as against NAPOLEON, this country now owes to the Republic of France all the good offices that are compatible with an honest observance of the obligations of neutrals. When the American people were trying to resist invasion, and establish a Republic, the French people nobly came to their help. Now *they* are in extremity, and it would be strange if we denied them a moral support in their desire to found a Government based upon liberty and equality.

The complete ticket agreed upon at the Saratoga Convention will be found in our political column this day. In the place of Mr. LITTLEJOHN, who was at first reported to have been nominated as Lieutenant-Governor, the name of Mr. SIGISMUND KAUFFMAN has been submitted to the people—an excellent choice. Mr. KAUFFMAN is an able lawyer, and possesses just influence with his German fellow-citizens. The platform of the party will be found straightforward and sensible, without any attempts to make political capital at the expense of truth. It will bear all the reflection and examination our readers can bestow upon it. The ticket is altogether a winning one, and we hope every Republican will make up his mind to vote for it, and thus promote the best interests of all good citizens in the State. There are times when lukewarmness may be excusable—but this is not one of them. We must work together with a will if we would see good government in this State once more.

In its eagerness to blacken the record of Republican administration in South Carolina, the *World* rather oversteps the boundaries of fact. It spoke, yesterday, of the "monstrous spoliation which has raised the debt" of the State to $14,000,000, and alleged that this is the only visible financial result of reconstruction. Now, the debt of South Carolina is not fourteen millions—it is less than half that amount, and there has been no increase since the war. Moreover, South Carolina, under Gov. SCOTT, was the first State in the Union which resumed the payment of coin interest on its obligations—a fact that well exemplifies the recklessness of our contemporary's unfriendly statements. The credit of the State is not an issue in the canvass now going on. That is confessedly satisfactory. It has been reserved for a Democratic journal in New-York to try to damage what the South Carolinians, irrespective of party, are anxious to uphold.

Judge BEDFORD once more called the attention of the Grand Jury, in his charge yesterday, to the necessity of taking active measures to suppress the use of the knife and pistol—so fruitful a source of crime in this City. The Judge spoke with his usual decision and earnestness—but while men who shoot or stab others are able to get out on bail so easily, how is it possible to hope for the vindication of law or order? The other night a conductor on the Sixth-avenue cars was shot at by MICHAEL G. SMOOT, a hackman. The conductor was not killed—no thanks to SMOOT, who fired three shots at him. Two of the shots actually went through the man's coat, but missed his body. The probability is that we shall hear no more of this case. SMOOT, it is said, was let out "on bail." And yet people wonder why car-conductors do not interfere oftener for the protection of the public. Does the law extend to them any protection?

What nonsense Southern Democratic newspapers find themselves obliged to print! The New-Orleans *Times*, for instance, declares that—

"The whole power of taxation and appropriation has been, in Louisiana, delivered over to a few hundred white adventurers. They govern Louisiana in the name of a Radical majority elsewhere. The people of Louisiana, white and black, detest and despise these intruders."

The affairs of Louisiana are in the hands of its people more completely than before the era of reconstruction. It is the fashion among the irreconcilables to represent the governing power as in the hands of "a few hundred white adventurers," but only simpletons take this to be a correct statement of the case. The officials of the State were invested with power by a majority of its voters; and if, as the *Times* alleges, these officials are despised and detested by the people, white and black, the application of remedies will be easy enough. We await the verdict to be rendered in November.

American laws relating to life insurance have long been recognized by English policy-holders as better than their own, and indeed, they have suffered severely from imperfect legislation upon the subject. Now, however, a reform in the right direction is to be attempted. An act just coming into force requires new companies to deposit $20,000 with the Accountant-General of the Court of Chancery, before commencing business. All companies are, moreover, to prepare annual statements showing the condition of their accounts and balances. Where other business than Life Insurance is undertaken, a separate record must be kept of the life funds. Besides this, companies established since the act, are to present an actuarial report once in five years, or in the case of older institutions, once in ten years. While remarking that this discrimination seems uncalled for, seeing that some recent scandals have occurred in the management of "old" companies, it may be allowed that private interest can no longer be jeopardized, if the designated officials do their duty.

It seems that, in spite of Mayor HALL'S veto, the patent gas reflector contract is to be "put through." That is all the answer vouchsafed to the general complaint of the gloomy state of our "lighted" streets. Having paid exorbitantly for what should be a perfect system, the citizens are to pay exorbitantly again to remedy the imperfections of that system. We are not, however, promised good gas, proper burners, and honest lighting of the lamps, but reflectors to make the gas look a little better than at present. The Mayor has already pointed out that the scheme is wholly unjustifiable, and in fact illegal. But we suppose that it will be submitted to, although the length of the bill is not yet fully realized by the public.

The truth about the special correspondence of the *Tribune* is simply this: The ubiquitous correspondent who is always present at every action, and is everlastingly embracing the King of Prussia and BISMARCK, is employed by the *Daily News*, *Pall Mall Gazette* and *Tribune*. He sends a few notes to Paris or London, and from these scanty notes the long "yarns" which "gull" the public here are written up—there being about one grain of wheat to a bushel of chaff. The *Tribune* itself admitted this fact yesterday, in an extract which it printed by some strange oversight from *Le Temps*. In that extract it is stated that the "war correspondents" are really in Paris, and "in the silence and seclusion of their apartments, *are written those stirring accounts of the battles which we admire in the journals from across the Channel or the Ocean.*" It will be seen by anybody who reads the correspondence that it is prepared specially for English readers—see, for instance, a letter from "J. S." elsewhere. It is only necessary to add that if the *Tribune* had been content with puffing its spurious wares no one would have interfered. But it is a part of its principle to be constantly going out of its way to attack other journals, and when they protest, it gets its hirelings in the country Press to raise a great outcry in its defense. The "puffs" which we publish today in our advertising columns are merely paid advertisements, collected from these country papers.

There seems nothing unreasonable in the demand of the Dublin meeting for the restoration to Ireland of local government. On the contrary, it is so obviously natural and just, that it is difficult to understand why the English Government refuses to concede it. Repeal of the Union is not implied in "the concession" sought—simply the acknowledgment of Ireland's right to self-government in purely local concerns. Considering the manner in which the Union was consummated, this is as little as Ireland can ask. Distant colonies have almost complete control over their affairs; why may not Ireland be permitted to legislate for itself in what relates only to its own people? Imperial matters would still be reserved to the London Parliament, and that should be enough. Mr. GLADSTONE has evinced not a little boldness in his treatment of other Irish questions. Why hesitate to remedy the injustice against which not Dublin only but a powerful element throughout Ireland protests?

AMUSEMENTS.

Theatrical.

NEW THEATRE.

The theatre formerly occupied by KELLY & LEON'S minstrel troupe is to be tenanted, on and after Monday, by the company under the management of Miss LINA EDWIN. The place, it seems, has been much improved. The entrance has been richly frescoed, and will give easy access into and egress from the auditorium. Within, a dome has been substituted for an unsightly flat ceiling, and the hall has been enlarged, refitted and redecorated. The list of artists engaged—a point of more importance than any other—is lengthened. It includes the names of Mr. Stuart Robeson, Mr. Harry Jackson, Mr. Harry Josephs, Mr. J. H. Chatterton, Mr. J. W. Collins, Mr. George Jordan, Mr. H. Pray, Mr. Edwin Thorne, Mr. Walter Grindall, Mr. Eugene Eberle, Mr. C. T. Parsloe, Jr., Miss Lina Edwin, Miss Emma Cline, Miss Emma Lewis, Miss Aggie Wood, Miss Alice Lyale, Miss Sallie Germaine, Miss Kitty Doud, Miss Amelia Harris, Miss Lillie Eldridge and Miss Alice Atherton. Mr. HARRY JACKSON will be the stage manager, and Mr. J. B. DONNIKER will lead the orchestra. The announcements, it will be admitted, are of a promising kind. It only remains to complete them with the statement that on Monday evening, the first representation of the season will be given, "A Bird in the Hand Worth Two in the Bush," a new two-act play, and the burlesque of "Black-Eyed Susan," with Mr. STUART ROBSON as Captain Crosstree will be the subject-matter of the inauguratory entertainment.

MR. BARRETT'S BENEFIT.

The benefit performance of Mr. L. F. BARRETT is to occur this evening at Wallack's Theatre. "London Assurance" will be acted, with the fresh co-operation of Messrs. JOHN E. OWENS and W. E. FLOYD, and of Mrs. F. B. CONWAY.

POLITICAL.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Closing Proceedings—Completion of the Ticket—The Candidates, and Prospects of their Election.

From Our Special Correspondent.

SARATOGA, Thursday, Sept. 8, 1870.

The Convention reassembled at 10 o'clock this morning, and completed the nominations on the State ticket. Ex-Speaker LITTLEJOHN appeared before the Convention and declined the nomination of Lieutenant-Governor, giving his reasons therefor, and expressing the hope that the Convention would select for the place the gentleman who competed with him for the nomination yesterday. A motion was then made that SIGMUND KAUFFMAN be nominated for Lieutenant-Governor by acclamation, which was carried amid great enthusiasm. The remaining candidates on the ticket were then nominated with the utmost unanimity and, after a resolution of thanks to the officers, the Convention adjourned with three cheers for the success of the ticket.

THE CANDIDATES.

It is admitted on all hands that the ticket, as a whole, is the least objectionable that could have been nominated. There is not a man on it against whose political or personal character a word can be said by any member of the party; and in point of ability it will compare favorably with any ticket that has been put forward by any party for years past. The military and civil record of Gen. WOODFORD, who heads the ticket, is well known, and, in addition to this record, he has the advantage of being one of the most eloquent and effective stump speakers in the State. He will enter upon the canvass in person, and with an enthusiasm and confidence of victory that will inspire like enthusiasm and zeal throughout the ranks of the party. If Gov. HOFFMAN, who was so quick to challenge Gov. FENTON to take the stump with him when he ran the first time, is still of the opinion that the Governor's official duties will permit of his stumping the State with his political opponent, Gen. WOODFORD will no doubt accommodate him.

The candidate for Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. KAUFFMAN, is a leading German lawyer of this city, a man of wealth and of the most unblemished character. He was, besides, one of the earliest members of the Republican Party, and ran on the electoral ticket of this State in 1860, when President LINCOLN was elected the first time. He is a popular speaker, and will do effective service in the campaign among his countrymen who have so long been led astray by the French-sympathizing, bogus Democracy.

ABIEL W. PALMER, the candidate for Comptroller, is probably the best nomination that could be made in the entire State. A man of higher character and integrity cannot be found in any party, and all who know him admit his eminent qualifications for the office of State Comptroller. He has served ten terms in the Assembly, and was a member of the State Senate in 1866, where he was always found side by side with HALE, CAMPBELL, CHAPMAN, and other true Republicans, in opposition to all forms of legislative corruption. He is President of the Amenia Bank, Dutchess County, and is so popular with the people of his neighborhood that he can always carry his district, which is a close one, when no other Republican can.

ABRAHAM NELSON, of Erie, and ALEX. BARCLAY, of Washington, the candidates for Canal Commissioners, are both well known and highly respected citizens of their respective localities, and both thoroughly familiar with the canals and everything that appertains to them. Mr. BARCLAY ran on the Republican ticket in 1868 for the same position.

JOHN PARKHURST, of Clinton County, the candidate for State Prison Inspector, has for many years past occupied the positions of Agent and Warden of Clinton Prison, and is acknowledged to be the most fit person for Inspector of State Prisons that could be selected from the ranks of any party.

With a ticket comprising such names as these, and with the enthusiasm that already begins to animate the party, a brilliant Republican victory in November is regarded as certain. S.

Second Day's Proceedings—Withdrawal of Mr. Littlejohn—Sigismund Kauffman for Lieutenant-Governor—The Full Ticket—State Central Committee.

The Convention met at 9¾ o'clock this morning. The question pending last night was on a motion to nominate a candidate for Canal Commissioner. Mr. MARSH moved that Mr. ABSALOM NELSON, of Erie, be nominated for Canal Commissioner, for the long term, by acclamation. Carried. Mr. A. D. WAIT moved that ALEXANDER BARKLEY, of Washington, be nominated Canal Commissioner for the short term. Mr. TREMAIN seconded this nomination. Mr. SACKETT named ALONZO N. WELCH, of Saratoga. RUFUS ANDREWS seconded the nomination of Mr. WELCH. JOHN COCHRANE sustained the nomination of ALEXANDER BARKLEY. Judge LANSON sustained the nomination of Mr. WELCH. Mr. BARKLEY was named by 302 delegates. Mr. WELCH was named by eighty-two delegates. The nomination of Mr. BARKLEY, of Washington County, was made unanimous. The nomination of State Prison Inspector was announced. Mr. VAN VOORHIES named ADOLPHUS C. KOLTE, of Monroe County. Mr. O'DONNELLY moved to make the nomination unanimous. D. D. S. BROWN, on behalf of the people of Monroe and of the State, protested against this nomination as unfit to be made. Mr. O'DONNELLY, on the strength of this protest, withdrew his motion. Mr. LANSON said he was a German delegate; he had noticed a disposition to put a German on this ticket; he could say to the Convention that whether a German was on the ticket or not, the Germans intended to support the ticket. He would, however, if the Convention would permit, name a German for this office, who was Mr. E. S. SCHRODER, of New-York.

MR. LITTLEJOHN'S WITHDRAWAL.

It was announced that Mr. LITTLEJOHN had stated that he felt it his duty to decline the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor, and a Committee was appointed to wait on Mr. LITTLEJOHN and conduct him to the platform. This was done, and

Mr. LITTLEJOHN said he appeared before the Convention to thank it cordially for the honor conferred upon him, in placing his name upon its ticket. His heart was filled with gratitude for the recognition of his services, as a high private in the ranks of the Republican Party; but he appeared here reluctantly to discharge a duty. He was President of the Midland Railroad—a great and momentous enterprise; an enterprise which, he believed, was destined to prove of vast benefit to this great State and to the country. The Convention knows, he said, that the President of such an enterprise must not carry on his back the name of a politician. He has dealings with the great financial men of the country, and he must stand aloof from a position which can be distorted in any manner to a disadvantage. As President of that Company, he had already succeeded in raising seven millions of dollars to construct that road. He was regarded, indeed when the trustee of that large monetary interest, and he feared if he accepted the position here tendered him, so generously, that it would work to the injury of that interest. God knows, he said, that I will, to the fullest extent of my ability, support the ticket made by this Convention, and headed by STEWART L. WOODFORD, but there was another reason why he felt called upon to decline this nomination. In Europe there is progressing one of the mightiest wars ever seen in this world. It has already resulted in the formation of one republic. This war, in the hands of that great German nation, so many of whose people have made this their home. We naturally fraternize with the German nation in the great work it is doing, and he was happy to say that in the Republican Party there was a strong element composed of Germans, who appreciate the principles of that party. It was a power in the party, and he found by the record that there was a cast for a German in the vote for Lieutenant-Governor of 182 votes, while he received 196. Mr. LITTLEJOHN did not regard this strong vote as evidence of hostility to him, but rather it was a cast in support of a principle—and that was enough for him. He was willing to put that candidate on the ticket, and he believed there was a guarantee of victory this Fall for the Republican Party—such as King WILLIAM had secured in his great battles. You will, said he, overthrow the Democracy as LOUIS NAPOLEON was overthrown. He again thanked the Convention for the honor done him. The speech was rapturously applauded.

NOMINATIONS CONTINUED.

Mr. YOUNGLOVE moved the nomination of Mr. KAUFFMAN. A delegate inquired whether anyone knew that Mr. KAUFFMAN desired the nomination. Mr. COCHRANE said he had authority to say he would accept. The nomination of SIGISMUND KAUFFMAN, of New-York, was made unanimous. The Convention then resumed the consideration of the proposition to nominate a candidate for State Prison Inspector. Mr. VAN VOORHIES defended Mr. KOLTE from the charge made against him by Mr. BROWN, and afterward withdrew his name. Mr. CURTIS named JOHN PARKHURST, now a warden of Clinton Prison, and advocated his claims. Mr. SELKRIG moved that Mr. PARKHURST be elected by acclamation. Dr. STORCH withdrew the name of Mr. SCHRODER, and said the Germans asked no other name on the ticket than KAUFFMAN'S. The nomination was made by acclamation.

THE STATE COMMITTEE.

The Convention then proceeded to name the members of the State Committee, as follows: 1, Stephen B. French; 2, Samuel T. Maddox; 3, E. D. Webster; 4, Henry Smith; 5, Thomas Milligan; 6, Hugh Gardiner; 7, A. B. Cornell; 8, Chester A. Arthur; 9, George Opdyke; 10, Hezekiah D. Robertson; 11, Cyrus D. Martin; 12, Henry Vandekar; 13, George H. Sharpe; 14, Joseph H. Ramsey; 15, A. D. Waite; 16, John Hammond; 17, Edwin A. Merritt; 18, Horatio S. Brown; 19, Ebenezer Blakely; 20, A. H. Kavanaugh; 21, Levi Blakely; 22, John A. Piaso; 23, R. M. Gere; 24, Albert Jewett; 25, L. L. Doty; 26, T. J. Chatfield; 27, C. S. Cole; 28, Benjamin Field; 29, Richard Crowley; 30, Rodney W. Daniels; 31, blank. RUFUS ANDREWS moved that ANDREAS WILMAN, ALFRED PLEASONTON, and JAMES TERWILLIGER be delegates at large to the Committee. E. G. TAPMAN hoped this motion would be withdrawn, as the Committee was now if anything too large. As to the necessity for a Secretary, he thought there were a number of gentlemen on the Committee competent to fill that place. Mr. TERWILLIGER'S name had been dropped because he was in apostition preventing him from discharging the duties of Secretary. Mr. ANDREWS withdrew his motion. C. S. SPENCER moved that the Chair add four additional members to the Committee, which was laid on the table. Mr. DARLING offered a resolution that the members of the State Committee from New-York have power to settle all disputes regarding delegates to the State Convention in that City. A motion to give this power to the State Committee was made. C. S. SPENCER made a stirring appeal in behalf of Mr. DARLING'S resolution. Mr. T. STEWART opposed the resolution as calculated to excite distraction and an inharmonious spirit. RUFUS ANDREWS was in favor of the resolution because he thought it would put a stop to double delegations appearing at State Conventions. Gen. MERRITT moved to lay the whole subject on the table. Mr. DARLING then withdrew his resolution. Mr. BEMUS moved that the members of the Convention from the Thirty-first Congressional District be permitted hereafter to name a member of the State Committee; which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. TREMAIN, the thanks of the Convention were tendered to the officers of the Convention, and then the Convention at 11¾ A. M. adjourned *sine die*.

THE TICKET.

The following is the ticket as nominated:

Governor—STEWART L. WOODFORD, of Kings.

Lieutenant-Governor—SIGISMUND KAUFFMAN, of Kings.

Comptroller—ABIAH W. PALMER, of Dutchess.

Canal Commissioners—ABSALOM NELSON, of Erie, long term; ALEXANDER BARKLEY, of Washington, short term.

State Prison Inspector—JOHN PARKHURST, of Clinton.

The comrade war veterans in a body this afternoon called upon Gen. WOODFORD to express their congratulations, and to announce to him that he will have their united, heartiest support in the coming campaign. Several addresses were made and responded to by Gen. WOODFORD, when it was resolved to re-establish and organize the "Boys in Blue" Clubs of the campaign of 1868, under the title of "Woodford Clubs."

THE TICKET.

Sketches of the Candidates—Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Controller, Canal Commissioner and Prison Inspector.

FOR GOVERNOR.

Hon. STEWART L. WOODFORD, our candidate for Governor, needs no introduction to the Republicans of the State of New-York. For years he has been an active worker in the good cause, and his eloquent voice has been heard in almost every canvass since the war closed, he having repeatedly stumped the State. In 1867-8 he presided over the State Senate as Lieutenant-Governor, and evinced great executive ability and a thorough knowledge of parliamentary tactics. Gen. WOODFORD is still a young man, and is a fit representative of the young and vigorous element of the party. He possesses all the qualifications necessary to commend him to that class. He has a fine presence, he is a graceful and ready speaker, and he has a good war record. We do not doubt that he will make a brilliant canvass of the State, and that he will rouse the Republican Party to something like its ancient enthusiasm.

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

The Republican candidate for Lieutenant-Governor is well known in this section of the State, and particularly in Williamsburg, where he has resided for eighteen years, having removed there in the Summer of 1852. He is a gentleman about forty years of age, of fine presence, has a piercing black eye, and is very affable in his demeanor. He resides in South Ninth-street, in one of those elegant mansions for which the Nineteenth Ward of Brooklyn is noted, and has the reputation of being a very hospitable gentleman.

Mr. KAUFFMAN is a lawyer, has been identified with the Republican Party since its formation, and made one of the first anti-Kansas-Nebraska speeches in the Broadway Tabernacle during that controversy in 1854 and 1855. This was his first identification with the Republican Party. He took part in the Convention as a delegate to Syracuse from Kings County, during the Fremont campaign. He was an elector on the Republican ticket in 1860, and cast his vote, among the other electors, for LINCOLN and HAMLIN. During the war he was very active, and was appointed by Gov. MORGAN one of the District Committee, with HENRY SMITH, JOSEPH HOXIE, SIDNEY H. GAY and others, to aid in recruiting for the army. He was also a Draft Commissioner, appointed by Gov. MORGAN for the upper part of the District of Williamsburg. He has been for several years, and is now, President of the German Central Republican Committee of Kings County. He took a leading part in the GRANT and COLFAX campaign of 1868.

Mr. KAUFFMAN has never held public office. During his absence in Europe he was nominated, contrary to his wishes, for the State Senate, in opposition to Hon. JAMES F. PIERCE, received more than 10,000 votes, and was only defeated by 1,051 votes in the District, which usually gives from 2,500 to 3,000 Democratic majority.

Mr. KAUFFMAN received the dispatch announcing his nomination while in the cars on his way home. He has not, of course, been formally notified of the fact, but when he is will doubtless accept and labor earnestly for the success of the ticket.

FOR CONTOLLER.

Hon. ABIAH W. PALMER, our candidate for Controller, is a prominent citizen of Dutchess County, and has been actively identified with the political management of that section for many years. In 1860 he was a member of the Assembly, and again in 1866. In 1868 he was elected State Senator from the Eleventh District, and served with distinction. He is an earnest Republican, and possesses all the requisite qualifications for the position to which he has been nominated.

CANAL COMMISSIONERS.

Under the new method of canal administration adopted by the Legislature last Winter, the office of Canal Commissioner was invested with largely increased power and importance. The position is one of great responsibility, and requires a practical knowledge of canal affairs. Mr. ABSALOM NELSON, of Erie, and ALEXANDER BARKLEY, of Washington, nominated respectively for the long and short term, are both thoroughly acquainted with the canals and their management, and would make excellent officers.

STATE PRISON INSPECTOR.

JOHN PARKHURST, of Clinton, candidate for Inspector of State Prisons, completes the ticket. It has many elements of strength, and with proper effort can be elected. It certainly is entitled to the hearty support of the party, regardless of any dissensions which have existed, for it is not in the interests of any faction. The soldiers will greet the head of the ticket with enthusiasm; the Germans declared in the Convention that they were more than satisfied with the nomination of KAUFFMAN, and we certainly know of no reason why the rivalries of the Senatorial factions should not be ended in a hearty co-operation for the success of the ticket. If the canvass, thus auspiciously begun, shall be vigorously conducted, and the election laws stringently executed, we can carry the State in November.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Labor Reform Convention at Worcester—The State Well Represented—Declaration Against the Chinese—Wendell Phillips Nominated for Governor—His Course Toward the Temperance Men.

From Our Own Correspondent.

WORCESTER, Thursday, Sept. 8, 1870.

A State Labor Reform Convention met in this city this morning at 11 o'clock. The basis of representation was one delegate for each town, and one additional for each two hundred voters. All the large towns and cities are well represented, and no considerable section of the State is without a delegate. The Convention was called to order by S. F. CUMMINGS, who referred to the failure of the prediction of their opponents last year, that the movement would be a failure, and declared that since they determined to measure strength with the old parties, the cause had gained until the late Labor Congress decided to organize a National Labor Reform party, with a prospect of success in 1872. Instead of being a class movement, it was an earnest protest against the subservicency of the old parties to the exactions of capital, in the belief that democracy was something more than dividends. Capital, in its efforts to injure labor by importing Chinese under the shield of the nation, should be dethroned from its high places, and a policy established under which intelligence, virtue, temperance and loyalty shall become the distinguishing characteristics of American labor.

A Committee on Permanent Organization was appointed, and it soon reported as follows:

For President—Charles Cowley, of Lowell.

Committee on Finance—C. C. Moore, Upton; George W. Randall, Boston; B. T. Leavitt, Bradford; Elisha Pratt, Weymouth; J. F. Putnam, Lynn; S. W. Spooner, Warwick; J. W. Turner, Abington.

A long list of Vice-Presidents and Secretaries was also reported.

Judge COWLEY, on taking the chair, referred to the contest in the last Legislature over the Ten-hour law, and closed his address as follows:

The profits realized by many of our manufacturers during the late war were immense. With a plethora of wealth, some of these have acquired a contempt for the rights of others, and that proneness to oppression which comes from long possession of power. These find delight in the nefarious project, now on foot, to supplant the factory operatives and shoe manufacturers by importing wholesale into Massachusetts the lowest dregs of the population of China. To increase their profits by a small proportion, they resort to a movement which can only succeed by eliminating from society that industrious middle class from which it derives its chief strength and stability. If belongs to you, gentlemen, as representatives of the class thus menaced with social extinction, to erect an impenetrable barrier of law against these invading hordes of Chinese—ten times more to be dreaded than those ancient Huns and Vandals who overran Rome under ATTILA and GENSERIC. Other matters than these also press urgently for consideration; the diminution of the burdens imposed by the existing system of national banks; the reform of the currency, the revenue service, and the tariff; the abolition of superfluous offices, the reduction of the public expenditures, the discontinuance of land grants to speculative railroads. On these and many other questions this Convention, I trust, will speak in tones which all will hear and understand.

A committee on resolutions was appointed, and other preliminary business was transacted when the Convention here adjourned until 1½ P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Convention reassembled at the appointed time, and almost immediately began the discussion of the resolutions, which were not of sufficient originality to justify their reproduction here. The eighth resolution, however, excited some opposition. It reads as follows:

Resolved, That while we welcome voluntary emigrants from every clime, and pledge them the protection of law and equal opportunity in every field of industry, still we are highly opposed to the importation by capitalists of labor from China and elsewhere for the purpose of degrading and cheapening American labor, and will resist it by all the legal and constitutional means in our power.

The following was presented as a substitute:

Resolved, That in view of the degraded moral and intellectual condition of the Chinese, we believe that their introduction into this world will entail a severe curse upon the whole American people, and in the language of BAYARD TAYLOR, "Justice to our race demands that they shall not be allowed to settle on our soil."

After an excited debate, the original resolutions were adopted *seriatim*, and with great enthusiasm.

After some unimportant debate, the Convention proceeded to nominate candidates for the State ticket. Mr. THOS. J. CHIPMAN, of Clinton, moved the nomination of WENDELL PHILLIPS for Governor by acclamation. The enthusiasm was great, and every member seemed anxious to offer his vote for the favorite. Mr. S. P. CUMMINGS rose and addressed the Convention as follows:

As it appears that the Convention is very nearly, if not quite, unanimous in favoring the nomination of Mr. PHILLIPS for Governor, I shall accept the amendment of the gentleman from Clinton. Yet it seems to me that there are some things that we should consider before we proceed to formally nominate him. As for myself, my first, last and only choice for standard-bearer in this coming campaign is WENDELL PHILLIPS. [Applause.] It is well understood that there is in our own ranks a division of sentiment upon some matters of purely local character. Mr. PHILLIPS was nominated some time since by another State Convention as their representative of some other single idea. That Convention, or rather its managers, had consulted with Mr. PHILLIPS before their Convention was held, and he said to them, "Gentlemen, I cannot accept your nomination, notwithstanding that I believe in the idea of your Convention, and I am glad to see that you are determined to carry the issue to the ballot-box." After they went away, Mr. PHILLIPS was visited by a Committee who said to him: "Mr. PHILLIPS, let us at least have the privilege of voting for you—let us at least have your name at the head of our ticket. We will not ask you to accept or decline the nomination." Mr. PHILLIPS, said he, came into my office, and the whole matter was canvassed. He said, "Very well, gentlemen, if you want to use my name as your candidate and will not require of me any special championship of your ideas, I am at your service." He has never been and never will be notified by that Convention of his nomination in the usual form, because WENDELL PHILLIPS, who has devoted thirty-five years of his life to the battle for labor, sympathizes today above all other parties with the Labor Party. So then I asked Mr. PHILLIPS directly this question. After some preliminary conversation, I said to him, "I would not give the snap of my finger for either prohibition or license. The Labor Party cares nothing for either of them. It knows neither the one nor other; but, I said, if you were nominated by the Labor Party would you formally accept the nomination by letter when you were informed of it. He said, 'most assuredly I should do so.' While I disagree with Mr. PHILLIPS upon some questions of no great practical importance, yet I believe the nomination of WENDELL PHILLIPS by the Labor Party of Massachusetts will send a throb of wild delight through every working man's heart in the land. Therefore I do most earnestly second the motion of my friend from Clinton, nominating him as our candidate for Governor by acclamation."

At the close of Mr. CUMMINGS's remarks, the nomination was ratified by an almost unanimous vote. The remainder of the nominations were made with very little delay, and the ticket stands as follows: For Governor, WENDELL PHILLIPS; Lieutenant-Governor, JAMES CHATTAWAY, of Springfield; for Secretary of State, S. B. PRATT, of Boston; for Attorney-General, CHARLES COWLEY, of Lowell; for Treasurer, E. W. STONDARD, of North Bridgewater. Mr. CHAS. G. GOODWIN, of Haverhill, was nominated for Auditor, but declined, and that nomination was left to be made by the General Committee. After some unimportant business the Convention adjourned sine die. OAKHAM.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Georgia Democracy—Qualifications of Candidates.

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 8.—The *Constitution* this afternoon publishes a letter from LINTON STEPHENS, accepting the Chairmanship of the State Democratic Executive Committee. He thinks candidates for Congress might be selected without reference to eligibility. That question should be settled by Congress. He thinks the members of the Legislature should be selected from those not disqualified by Congressional enactments.

The Democrats repudiate the position taken by LINTON STEPHENS, favoring the running of ineligible persons for Congress.

Elections in Wyoming and New-Mexico—Congressional Nominations.

CHEYENNE, Sept. 8.—The election yesterday passed off quietly throughout the Territory. JONES, Republican, was elected delegate to Congress by a small majority. Mrs. CHURCH HOWE, wife of United States Marshal Howe, was the first lady who ever voted for delegate to Congress. The ladies voted generally throughout the Territory. They cast 171 votes at the Cheyenne precinct.

SANTA FE, N. M., Sept. 8.—The election for representatives to the Legislature passed off quietly in this city today. The Democrats put no ticket in the field, and the Republicans were consequently elected without opposition. SAMUEL B. WHERLOCK, JESUS LENA Y GARCIA and FRANCISCA ANTONIA MESTER were elected representatives.

NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 8.—The First District Republican Convention, held at Vineland today, nominated JOHN W. HAZELTON for Congress, to succeed Hon. WM. MOORE. The Third District Convention, at Somerville, nominated ROBERT RUSLING for Congress.

SOMERVILLE, N. J., Sept. 8.—The Republican Convention of the Third District of New-Jersey nominated Gen. ROBERT RUSLING of Warren County for Congress. RUSLING made a speech accepting. He is now United States Assessor for the Third District.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 8.—The Republicans have renominated WILLIAM L. STOUGHTON for Congress in the Second District. The Democrats have nominated MYRON RIDER in that district, and N. B. ELDRIDGE in the First.

GENERAL NOTES.

Gen. STOKES is dangerously ill at Alexandria, Tenn.

A new German Republican paper has appeared at Terre Haute, Ind.

The Kansas Republican State Convention will meet at Topeka to-morrow.

The probable Republican majority in Delaware this Fall is estimated at 1,345.

Hon. A. F. FERRY has accepted the nomination for Congress from the First Ohio District.

The Republicans of the Seventh Wisconsin District will nominate a candidate for Congress today.

The Republicans of, the Third New-Jersey Congressional District will nominate a candidate to-morrow.

The Temperance State Convention of Wisconsin will meet to-morrow at Milwaukee for political purposes.

W. F. COOLBAUGH, a banker of Chicago, will probably be the Democratic nominee for Congressman at large in Illinois.

JOHN CAIN, editor of the Rutland *Courier*, has been nominated for Congress by the Democracy of the First Vermont District.

The Pittsburg *Dispatch* says that the campaign in Pennsylvania may now be said to have fairly opened.

Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX and Hon. WILL CUMBACK will speak at Columbus, Bartholomew County, Ind., on Friday, Sept. 16.

CHARLES READY, father of Mrs. Gen. JOHN MORGAN, is a candidate for Congress in the Murfreesboro (Tenn.) District.

Col. WM. L. OWEN, of Halifax, has been nominated by the Conservatives to represent the Fourth Congressional District of Virginia.

The Republicans will nominate a candidate for Congress from the Second Missouri District, on the 13th inst.

EMERSON ETHERIDGE has written to the Memphis *Appeal*, taking strong ground against all third party movements, and proclaiming himself unconditionally a Democrat.

Hon. SETH WAKEMAN is spoken of in connection with the Republican nomination of a candidate for Congress from the Twenty-ninth New-York District.

Mr. PENDLETON will not be a candidate for Congress. He authorizes the announcement that if such a sacrifice is intended he will "instantly authoritatively withdraw his name."

W. H. SMITH has been renominated for Governor by the Republican State Convention of Alabama, and Hon. C. W. BUCKLEY for Congress in the Montgomery District.

JAMES H. HOPKINS has been nominated as the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Twenty-second, Pennsylvania, District, and Col. WM. SEWELL in the Twenty-third District.

On the second Tuesday in November elections for Members of Congress and State officers will be held in Tennessee. A convention of the Democracy will be held on the 12th inst. to nominate a candidate for Governor.

The Republicans of the Eighth Kentucky District have nominated H. T. FINLAY for Congress. Mr. FINLAY is Commonwealth Attorney for the Whitley Judicial Dis trict, and was nominated by acclamation.

The Chicago *Republican* says: "One of the Democratic nominees in Michigan is named BOSCH. Such a candidate will bear watching. He must be a slippery fellow. He has appropriated the true name of his party. It is all bosh, and no one member has a right to claim the entire title all to himself. The leaders should look to it."

W. H. SMITH and PIERCE BURTON are the nominees of the Republican Party for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor of Alabama. The Democrats have nominated Mr. ROBERT LINDSAY, of Tuscumbia, for Governor, but there can be no reasonable doubt that the Republicans will sweep the State by a handsome majority. Col. E. T. JENNINGS has been induced to become a candidate for Congress in the Sixth District. The Alabama *State Journal* says that he is probably the only man who can unite the strength of the Republican Party and take the strength out of the opposition.

JOSIAH THOMAS WELLS, the colored man nominated for Congress, in Florida, is a native of Virginia. His parents were free. He received his education in Harrisburg, served three years in a colored regiment, and after the war settled in Florida as a farmer. He has served the State in several capacities, and is respected by all parties. The Democratic Conservative State Convention of Florida has nominated S. A. NIBLACK for Congress, and W. D. BLOXHAM for Lieutenant-Governor.

The Democrats of the Seventeenth Pennsylvania Congressional District have nominated E. MILTON SPEER, of Huntingdon County. He is about thirty-three years of age, and a lawyer.

The Republicans of Virginia, in their address to the people of the State, say they have every reason to be encouraged in the campaign before them. They only require unity of action in order to win an honest victory. Every effort is to be made by the Committees in bringing to punishment all offenders against the act of Congress securing suffrage against bribery and corruption. The prospects of the party in the State were never more cheering, and from present appearances the Republicans will return six out of the eight members of the next House.

The Conservatives of the Seventh Virginia Congressional District will nominate a candidate in convention on the 29th inst. The State *Journal* says that the following-named gentlemen are pressed by friends for the nomination: Judge Henry Thomas, of Fairfax; T. T. Hill, of Culpepper; Lieut.-Gov. Marye, of Spottsylvania; Lewis B. Williams, of Orange; A. J. Marshall, of Fauquier; Gen. Daniel Ruggles and R. M. Braxton, of Prince William; Messrs. George W. Brent, Edgar Snowden and H. O. Claughton, of Alexandria. The present Republican member from the District, Hon. LEWIS MCKENZIE, has announced himself as a candidate for re-election.

OBITUARY.

Marie Edme Patrick Maurice de MacMahon, Duke of Magenta.

The Norse sea-kings had a superstitious dread of dying in their beds. The Halls of the Blessed, with their endless feasts and perennial fights, were closed against the craven who died not amid the din of battle, or at least girded with sword and buckler ready to attack the foeman whom the last enemy may have anticipated. In spite of civilization, we have inherited enough of the fierce daring of the Vikings to experience a certain sympathetic thrill at the thought of a soldier's ending on the field of conflict, "where mingles war's rattle with the groans of the dying," and inwardly, perhaps, to think the parting of the spirit is shorn of half its terrors amid the wild exuberance of life and energy that throbs and swells around the shock of contending hosts. But, when the high-strung nerves have relaxed, and when, through the cruel gashes of the shattered frame, the life-blood slowly ebbs away; when the bloodshed and the sacrifice have been all in vain, and the cause so nobly fought for has been hopelessly lost, then the soldier's death must indeed be bitter, for the wounds of the body are light when compared to those of the broken and agonized spirit, and every drop that remains in the cup of life is turned into gall.

But even this faintly represents the cruel despondency that must have clouded the last moments of Marshal MCMAHON, Duke of Magenta. Not yet two months ago, he was at the head of a gallant army, full of all the gay and careless confidence of Frenchmen, with a devoted attachment to their General, which was only equaled by their certainty that glory and victory awaited them. The First Army Corps of France, of the last levies of the Second Empire, will be credited by an impartial history with many an act of desperate bravery worthy of the best days of their forefathers, but the most friendly annalist cannot credit them with a single success. One division annihilated behind the lines of Lauterburg; other three decimated amid the heights of Woerth—such is the brief record with which they disappear from history. What their gallant leader suffered in seeing unflinching bravery so hopelessly wasted no man can ever know. Forty years of a soldier's life had shown him no disaster like this, and we can almost fancy the bronzed victor of a dozen campaigns wishing he had died at that supreme moment when he carried the Malakoff against hopeless odds, or when house by house he had fought his way to the possession of the town of Magenta, and the liberation of Lombardy. But a trial still more bitter awaited the ill-fated General. Saverne and the passes of the Vosges witnessed the retreat of his shattered and demoralized forces; Nancy and Toul saw them still retire before the advancing foemen; and when at last they were merged in the still unconquered reserves of Chalons, and marched along with them to make their gallant attempt to withstand the enemy in the Argonne—"the Thermopylæ of France"—it was only to mingle their blood with the waters of the Meuse in a current that was as impotent as the other to form the last barrier against the victorious Germans.

Marshal MCMAHON has lived to see three revolutions in France, but he never saw the adopted country of his ancestors in a darker hour than that in which he leaves it. Sprung from an ancient Irish Catholic family that followed the fortunes of the royal house of STUART into the friendly realm of LOUIS XIV., and the mimic Court of St. Germain's, he was born with a certain hereditary attachment to legitimacy. His father was a Peer of France, and resided at Sully, (Saone et Loire,) where the subject of our sketch was born on the 13th July, 1808. He entered the military school of St. Cyr in 1826, thence passed into the service of the staff, saw his first fighting in Algeria, was made Captain in 1832, and began a life-long record of feats of bravery at the assaults of Constantine, in Algeria, in 1837. He attained the rank of Colonel of the Forty-first Regiment of the line in 1845, became General of Brigade in 1848, and attained the rank of General of Division in 1852. In April, 1855, he was recalled from Africa, and was appointed in the following month to the command of a division in the Corps of Marshal ROSQUET in the Crimea. On the 8th of September he was charged with the perilous honor of carrying the works of the formidable Russian fort, known as the Malakoff, which formed the key to the southern section of the citadel. Leading, as he well knew how, the impetuous African soldiery in the teeth of the enemy's guns, he effected in a few minutes a lodgment within the works. "Dead or living" the brave soldier vowed to maintain himself there, and for hours his spirit sustained his troops in a hand to hand resistance against the Russians, who, wearied, at length, with the sanguinary struggle, were obliged to retreat. The year 1857 saw him again in Africa, and the opening of the Italian campaign, in April, 1859, saw him again recalled. Appointed to the command of the Second Corps of the Army of the Alps, on the 4th of June he led his troops across the Ticino, and began his celebrated advance against the Austrians, who were posted in force eight miles off, in the town of Magenta. His approach was vainly resisted, and a force of nearly 40,000 men as vainly attempted to hold the town against the impetuous bravery of his soldiers. The combat was one of the most terrible of the war, costing the enemy 10,000 killed and wounded besides 5,000 prisoners, and causing the immediate evacuation of Milan. He received the honors of Duke of Magenta and Marshal of France on the field of battle, and confirmed a military reputation which his late reverses cannot seriously disturb. In 1861 he represented France, with a pomp almost royal, at the coronation of the present King of Prussia. In 1864 he was appointed Governor of Algiers, a position from which he was only recalled to enter upon his last and fatal campaign of 1870.

We have already summarized the details of the ineffectual struggle which Marshal MCMAHON found himself compelled to wage against enormous odds in the present war. When the materials are forthcoming for a complete history of the campaign, the world will not be surprised to find a sad record of administrative incapacity, of official swindling, and of military treachery. But not the most inveterate enemy of France expects to find a single stain of all this on the fame of the gallant soldier who has just died, and over whom friend and foe alike may drop the tear of pity.

Mysterious Thefts Along the Hudson River—Loud Complaints of the Sufferers—An Organized Party of Plunderers.

For several years the towns and rural districts along the Hudson River have been the scene of numerous thefts and robberies. Farmers, gardeners and others were the sufferers. At first their losses consisted of the pillaging of fruit trees, garden beds, &c. Recently, however, these depredations were transferred to stores, dwellings and wharves, and large amounts of plundering were done without any clue being obtained as to the perpetrators. Detectives were employed to ferret out the culprits, but were unable to discover them. The amount of the losses by theft during this year is said to amount to thousands of dollars. The most frequent and severe sufferers have been the owners of vessels, warehouses and stores along the wharves, although some of the more inland districts have had their share. All kinds of articles disappeared, including dry goods, silks, clothing, jewelry, household goods and farm produce. The robbers, it is reported, have been in the habit of moving from place to place by night, on swift yachts, and of packing their ill-gotten gains while on board, subsequently shipping them by railway to a receiver. It appeared they sank their plunder to the bottom of the river with weights. It is claimed that they rendezvous at unfrequented places along the Highlands, where their booty is disposed of. Strange lights have been noticed at night in the mountains, below Iona Island, which caused considerable wonder among the river pilots. Recently the warehouse of Messrs. WM. O. MAILLIE & CO., at Newburg, was broken into, the safe being blown open by gun-powder and its contents carried off. An attempt was also made on the barges of Messrs. HOBBS BARNHILL & CO'S line, but was frustrated by the Police. Two yachts were seen hovering about Newburg Bay at the time, but subsequently disappeared in a sudden manner, and were afterward seen at anchor off West Point. A detective boarded them in disguise, but was unable to find anything suspicious about them. They appeared to be under the command of a bold-looking blonde female, who was familiarly called LYDIA.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Recruits for the United States Army.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The letter of the clergyman in yesterday's TIMES will attract the sorrowful attention of very many, and of no party more than the officers of the army of the United States. It is a very, very sad story, and if the recruiting stations are traps in which young men may be caught, and treated as the young man referred to has been, and the depot the place that is described, the War Department or the General Commanding would long before this have corrected the evils of both. Allow me to explain the mode of enlistment as conducted at recruiting stations. The applicant presents himself at the door; talks with the soldier on duty; the soldier is instructed to give "full information of the service;" this being generally a talk and a résumé of his experiences, he, a soldier selected for good conduct, his descriptions are perhaps a little highly colored for the average experiences of a soldier's life.

The applicant, if he reads, ascertains from the posters (official) the rates of pay, clothing, rations, medical attendance, soldier's home, and that "the officer will give further information." Generally the applicant waits about, makes up his mind, or has come determined and applies for enlistment. The form of examination required to be read to him, and to which he answers, gives full time for him to consider his determination; he is at liberty still to go away. He next strips himself for examination; the recruiting officer is the examiner, talks with the man, measures him; applicant must be five feet five inches fully in height, thirty-one inches around the chest at least; no signs, especially of weakness, of under age, (twenty-one years,) and if there is a doubt he is sharply questioned at this time on this point. He then re-dresses. All this time he may ask questions and be answered, and I am sure that officers are desirous of giving full information. He is then given an enlistment paper; he reads, and signs triplicate papers, two signatures each. The oaths are read and administered to him by the recruiting officer, and he swears first, that he is desirous of enlisting for the term of five years, that he is over twenty-one years of age, has neither wife nor child, has never been discharged the United States service by reason of disability, sentence of a Court-martial, and knows of no impediment to his serving honestly and faithfully as a soldier for five years. Then, after the applicant's full assent, the oath of enlistment is administered, and he becomes a soldier of the army of the United States. You see how difficult the regulations make it for a minor to enter the service; first by careful examination, the officer being as anxious that no recruit shall be rejected at the final examination at the depot, then by actual oath. The treatment of the recruit is kind; an evidence of that is the fact that so few desert after leaving the depot en route to their regiments. A detachment of 200 men, which the writer accompanied, in care of three officers, (no guard,) on their way to St. Paul, Minn., two only absented themselves, one by desertion, probably, the other left at a station, forwarded afterward.

The principal depot at Governor's Island is in charge of Gen. NEILL, of the United States Army, a most careful, kind gentleman, who, with the surgeon, sees and examines every recruit before he is fully accepted. It seems impossible that such a thing should happen as is related by the clergyman mentioned above. The recruits are carefully sheltered at Castle William, well fed; no better food is to be found than the soldier's ration which under Gen. NEILL'S care is certainly issued. The necessary work at the Post, I presume, is perform

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT.

The Wife Sues for a Divorce Before the Expiration of the Honeymoon—The Man Marries in Order to Reclaim the Woman.

A somewhat novel divorce suit, brought by ZADDIARIA CROWE against her husband, THOS. D. CROWE, came up before Chief-Justice BARBOUR in the Superior Court, Special Term, yesterday, on a motion on behalf of plaintiff for alimony and counsel fee. The circumstances of the case as set forth in the papers are somewhat peculiar, and may be briefly stated as follows: The plaintiff alleges that she is an infant of the age of seventeen years; that during the month of July last she made the acquaintance of the defendant, who, after drugging her with liquor, effected her ruin; that, subsequently, the defendant represented to her that the relations between them had become known to several parties, and that to save her reputation they must get married; that while under the influence of liquor, again administered by defendant, and while unconscious of her acts, she was so married to defendant. Three weeks after such marriage, the plaintiff left the defendant and commenced this action for divorce, alleging that the marriage was the result of fraud practiced upon her by defendant, and that since such marriage the defendant had, on three different occasions, committed adultery with certain women and at certain places to plaintiff unknown.

In reply to this, defendant swears that the allegations of plaintiff that he (defendant) has committed adultery are wholly false and untrue; that he first made the acquaintance of plaintiff as she was coming out of Wood's Theatre in company with two lady friends; that taking them for loose women, he, without any formal introduction, invited the plaintiff to accompany him and take some refreshments, to which she consented, accompanied by the other two women; that they went to a saloon in Third-avenue, and after taking some refreshments the other two women left, leaving plaintiff and defendant alone; that frequently thereafter the plaintiff came to visit him at his room in the Coleman House, until the casher gave him notice that she could not be permitted to come there; that subsequently at the solicitation of plaintiff's counsel's companion, a Mrs. Noe, he (defendant) consented to marry plaintiff, that the plaintiff was not a virtuous woman when he first made her acquaintance, but that he hoped to reclaim her, and believes he would have succeeded in doing so but for the evil influences of Mrs. Noe, who persuaded her to living in the same boarding-house with them, and in whose company she left his boarding-house in Westchester County and came to live in a house of ill-fame in Thirty-second-street, in this City, both women taking assumed names. Defendant also produces the affidavit of the chamber-maid of the Coleman House, that the conduct of the plaintiff in her visits there was so improper as to attract his attention and cause her expulsion from the house; the affidavit of the clergyman who married them that plaintiff and all the parties were perfectly sober at the time of marriage, that the plaintiff being quite willingly and being cheerful and sensible; the affidavit of the hack-driver that plaintiff, in company with Mrs. Noe, went in his carriage to defendant's office, that from thence defendant accompanied them to the minister's house, and that plaintiff was sober, went into the house and sometime out "singing like a basket of chips," evidently needing neither force nor persuasion to induce her to submit to the ceremony. Defendant further alleges that plaintiff is the adopted daughter of a wealthy citizen living in Lexington-avenue, with whom she is now living, and that her adopted father has urged the commencement of this suit and threatened to spend thousands of dollars to obtain a divorce in favor of plaintiff.

The argument on the motion for alimony was adjourned over to Monday, in consequence of the illness of defendant's counsel.

Crimes and Casualties.

RICHARD RYAN, eighteen years of age, who lives in Carlisle-street, while swimming in the North River at the foot of Harrison-street, struck his head against some sharp object under the water and received a severe wound. He was rescued by the bystanders and taken to the Park Hospital.

GUSTAVE RUDOLPH, a newsboy, ten years old, living at No. 161 Lewis-street, was run over yesterday morning in Third-avenue, near Forty-eighth-street, by a grocery wagon driven by an unknown person and had his foot seriously injured. He was taken home.

CARLO BARTOLI, an Italian, sixteen years of age, living at No. 16 Elizabeth-street, while gathering cinders, yesterday morning, in Twenty-sixth-street, near Second-avenue, was struck in the eye by a stone thrown at him by HENRY CHRISTMAN, of No. 336 East-Twenty-sixth-street, and severely injured. The assailant has not been arrested.

BARRY MCGUIRE, of No. '65 Lewis-street, was found, at an early hour yesterday morning, in Cannon-street, near Rivington, bleeding profusely from a severe cut in the head, and too much intoxicated to tell how he had received the injury. He was taken to the Eleventh Precinct Station-house, where he was locked up, after his wounds had been dressed.

The wife of Rev. Dr. WILLIAM ADAMS was severely injured yesterday by a fall when stepping from her carriage, at the Hudson River railroad depot, at Thirtieth-street. She was removed to her residence, No. 8 West Twenty-fourth-street, by her friends.

HANNAH BOYCE, a native of Ireland, fifty years of age, made desperate, as the Police assert, by "bad rum," attempted to commit suicide by jumping from a fourth-story window of No. 39 Laurens-street, but was fortunately rescued and no other injury which could be discovered by Police Surgeon FRELIGH than a severe cut on the ear.

JAMES FOWLER, of No. 221 Third-avenue, yesterday fell at the corner of Chrystie and Broome streets and fractured his knee. He was removed to Bellevue Hospital.

Dr. FREDERICK A. PUTNAM, of No. 285 Fourth-avenue, was yesterday thrown from his carriage, in Lexington-avenue, near Twenty-second-street, in consequence of being run into by a wagon driven by RICHARD WELSH, and seriously injured. WELSH was arrested by the Eighteenth Precinct Police.

THOMAS MCGUIRE, an insane man, living in Hicks-street, Brooklyn, yesterday attempted suicide by jumping into the North River from Pier No. 41, but was rescued and committed to the care of the Commissioners of Charities.

ISAAC LIETHEIMS, aged twenty-seven, and living at No. 213 East Fourth-street, was brought before Justice HOGAN, at the Tombs, yesterday, charged with having stolen, on the 1st of August, $80, the property of PAULINE BECK, of No. 128 East Third-street. He was committed to answer.

WILLIAM HORTON was committed for trial to the Court of General Sessions at the Essex Market Police Court, yesterday, for running off with a watch, worth $25, from Grand Roundsman JOHN RYAN, on the Bowery, on Wednesday evening.

In the United States Court, yesterday, before Commissioner SHIELDS, MAURICE S. HILL, was held to await the action of the Grand Jury, four months since, for embezzling the funds of the Bank of Summers, Westchester County, was admitted to bail, his bondsman justifying in $7,000.

In the United States Court, yesterday, before Commissioner WILLIAMS, ALEXANDER DERECOLL, Company G, Fifteenth New-York Volunteers, Engineer Corp, was charged with presenting fraudulent papers to obtain bounty-money which had been improperly paid to him. He was committed for trial.

All Quiet on the Financial Front.

In consequence of the illness of Superintendent JOURDAN, who is seeking the restoration of his health at Saratoga, and the fact that no quorum of the Boardman Boats been obtained for several days past, matters have been unusually quiet at Police Head-quarters. The general round-up has also added to the prevailing calmness by discovering, from the many rebukes administered them by the Commissioners, that an avalanche of frivolous complaints against patrolmen will not push them to promotion, and the lists of alleged delinquents, as a consequence, have been much smaller. The force is evidently not suffering from the cessation of the usual activity which lately characterized its direction. It is indeed at times absolutely necessary that transfers shall be made, but Judge BOSWORTH having been given that power by Commissioners, the absence of Commissioners and Mayor has not seriously interfered with the working of the force. Judge BOSWORTH, by virtue of this power, has transferred Sergt. JOHN M. ROBBINS from the Central Detective Office to the First Precinct, and Detective THOMAS BURKE from the Fourteenth Precinct to the Ninth Precinct.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Yesterday was another dull day at the Exchange. There were no sales. It is evident that none except such as are compelled to sell intend putting property on the market at this juncture of affairs, although there is evidence that fair prices may be realized on, although many dealers are hanging back under the impression that there will be opportunities to purchase at cheaper rates than now obtain. The old *Aristides* of the Exchange declares, however, that there will be a rise in prices before the present year is ended, and that all good offers ought to be closed with now. It is well known that many purchasers of plots of the Bloomfield estate on the north end of the island, (sold in sub-divisions about two years since,) have been offered large advances on their purchases, and the same may be said of other sections where the original lay of the land has been marked out for improvement. A prospect of cheap and speedy communication between Spuyten Duyvil and "down-town" would send up prices of property lying Westchester-ward with lightning-like rapidity. In the absence of this, however, the apprecia-

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Rivington-st., n. s., No. 232½, 8x70 ..... $12,100
Suffolk-st., w. s., 75 ft. s. of Broome-st., 25x70 10,000
104th-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 1st-av., 25x100.5 12,000
104th-st., n. s., 125 ft. e. of 3d-av., 100x100.5 4,100
52d-st., n. s., 192 ft. e. of 4th-av., 16.8x100.5 24,000
94th-st., n. s., 240 ft. e. of 5th-av., 20x102.2 8,000
110th-st. and 106th-av., s. e. corner, 100x99.11 2,400
4th-av. and 66th-st., n. e. corner, 125.8x76x81x76x100.5x25 105,000

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Clinton-st., e. s., 75 ft. s. of Amity-st., 22x60 ..... $4,500
Church-st., n. s., 343 ft. w. of Henry-st., 22x68.12 800
City-st., s. s., 275 ft. e. of Union-av., 50x100 2,300
Degraw-st., n. s., 125 ft. w. of Smith-st., 17.6x100 10,000
Downing-st., w. s., 100 ft. s. of Gates-av., 20x101.6 12,000
Gwinnett-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of Throop-av., 25x100 800
Montrose-st., n. s., 175 ft. e. of Tomkins-av., 25x100 2,400
Mead[illegible] and Meserole-sts., s. w. corner, 80x100 6,000
Meserole-st., n. w. s., 125 ft. s. of Kingsland-av., 25x100 350
Milton-st., s. s., 75 ft. e. of Franklin-st., 40x100x irr. 32x212 13,000
President-st., s. s., 256 ft. w. of Columbia-st., 16.8x100 6,000
Quincy-st., n. s., 225 ft. w. of Marcy-av., 25x100 5,000
Riverside, s. s., and Montague-st., w. s., and Sumner-st., n. s., 104x121.11x irr. 8x100 1,750
Rutledge-st., n. w. s., 50 ft. s. w. of Marcy-av., 42x100 18,000
Scott-place, n. s., 250 ft. e. of Smith-st., 20x52 11,000
South-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 136th-st., 25.8x98 12,000
Sixth-st., s. s., 375 ft. w. of 3d-av., 25x100 1,400
2d-st. and 4th-av., N. corner, 25x100 900
Fulton-av., n. e. s., 180 ft. s. e. of Ormond-place, 30.6x91 12,800
Wythe-av., n. e. s., 75 ft. s. e. of Rodney-st., 18x100 2,600

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

East Chester.

5th-av. and 4th-st., s. w. corner, 100x100 ..... $820

Morrisania.

Willis-av., w. s., 75 ft. s. of 147th-st., 75x100 ..... $2,000

Gasing.

Water-st., w. s., adjoining Michael O'Brien's, 37-[illegible]-dg. $1,000
Albany Post road, e. s., adjoining N. Courey's, 25x100 500
Water-st., w. s., adjoining M. O'Brien's, 37 ft. front, extending to Hudson River 1,700
Water-st., e. s., adjoining Geo. Collyer's, 25x100

Westchester.

22d-av., e. s., one-half lot No. 181 Wakefield, 50x184 ..... $350

Yonkers.

Turnpike road, e. s., adjoining Geo. Hemet's, 20x100 ..... $650

Rye.

3d-av., w. s., 218 ft. s. of Railroad-av., 100x197 ..... $225

QUEENS COUNTY.

Oyster Bay.

Road to Brookville, n. s., adjoining Young's, 51 acres $2,000

Farmingdale.

Bethpage Turnpike, s. s., adjoining Layton's, 6 acres, Parker's $2,000

Foster's Meadow.

Central-av., n. s., adjoining Krenenaker's, 40x32 ..... $100

Flushing.

Bradford-av., n. s., 600 ft. w. of Jeggar-av., 50x100 ..... $700

Newtown.

Maiden-lane and Johnson-av., s. e. corner, 22x98 ..... $2,125

NEW-JERSEY.

Newark.

Warren-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Summit-st., 31x81 ..... $2,800
Munger-st., n. s., 150 ft. e. from Mulberry-st., 25x175 500
Clinton-st., e. s., 313 ft. s. from Mulberry-st., 25x119 10,000
Walnut-st., e. s., 284 ft. s. from Pacific-st., 25x98 3,000

East Orange.

Grove-place, s. s., adjoining J. Ayer's property, 80x120 ..... $600

Clinton.

Brent-av., w. s., 232 ft. n. from Irvington-av., 25x185 ..... $250

Jersey City.

Bidwell-st., s. s., 50 ft. w. of Summit-av., 25x100 ..... $600
Wayne-st., e. s., lots Nos. 2 to 12, block No. 60, Van Vorst's map, 125x100 ..... $1,600
St. Paul's-av. and 9th-st., corner, 50x100 3,150

Hoboken.

First-st., n. s., 83 ft. e. of Willow-st., 25x50 ..... $2,000
Lot No. 7, block No. 45, Cox or's estate, 25x100 650

Bayonne.

Avenue D, w. s., lots Nos. 3 and 4, block No. 11, Bramhall's map, 50x117 ..... $1,527

West Hoboken.

Lot No. 26, Block A, Demott's estate, 25x $300
Lot No. 7, Block A, Demott's estate, 25x100 300

Union Township.

Lots Nos. 223 to 225 inclusive, Hexamer's map, 675x100 ..... $40,000

CITY REAL ESTATE.

$16,750.—SNUG FOUR-STORY Brown-stone house, lot 20x100; brown-stone basement and trimmings; on 24th-st., north side, between Broadway and 5th-av. Broadway, without 24th-st., makes a great business centre; 6th-av. also good business street; delightful residence; possession this Fall. Apply to J. E. WILLIAMS, No. 270 West 34th-st.

FIFTH-AV., NEAR 46TH-ST.—FOR sale or rent, the elegant medium-sized brown-stone house; also, extra size elegant corner house, same locality, with or without new furniture. W. P. SEYMOUR, No. 171 Broadway.

FOR SALE—THE VALUABLE PROPERTY on the south-west corner of 4th-av. and 14th-st., between Wallack's and the Union-place Hotel. Apply to E. CORNWALLIS, No. 69 Park-row.

FORTY-SIXTH-ST., NEAR 6TH-AV.—Fine house, 20x100, in best locality; stoop, stoop, complete order, for sale very cheap; also on 57th-st., near 8th-av. W. P. SEYMOUR, No. 171 Broadway.

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STATEN ISLAND PROPERTY.

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FOR SALE AT MORRISTOWN, N. J.—The country-seat of the late E. Boggs Graves, consisting of about fifty acres, about 1½ miles from the depot of the Central Railroad of New-Jersey, and a costly mansion, containing more than twenty rooms, with all modern improvements; farm-house and two small tenements, barns, hot and cold grapery, greenhouse, fruit-trees, ornamental trees, ice-house filled, all necessary out-buildings; buildings and ground in good order; location high, with fine water and inland view. In addition to former approach to the premises, a road passing under a railroad bridge has been made during the past year, thereby avoiding the necessity of crossing the railroad track. For further particulars apply to R. S. EMMET, No. 14 William-st., or J. W. HAZELEY, No. 113 Wall-st., in the City of New-York.

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At the Exchange Salesroom, Tompkins-av., Brooklyn, the fine three-story French-roof house and lot No. 407 Tompkins-av., between Halsey and Macon sts.; lot 25x100 feet; superior house; all modern improvements; finest part of Brooklyn, near Lefferts Park and Tompkins Park. See hand-bills at office.

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1,000 boxes Layer Raisins.
1,000 boxes Loose Muscatels.
500 half boxes Layers.
1,000 pkg. Layers.

At 11½ o'clock, within their store:

944 boxes fresh Malaga Lemons.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ATTACHment against the estate of JOHN HARRINGTON, an absconded or concealed debtor:

The undersigned, JOSHUA GASKILL, WASHINGTON E. RANSOM and JOHN MCCOUN, of the City of Lockport, in the County of Niagara, and State of New-York, do hereby give notice that they have been appointed trustees for all the creditors of John Harrington, late of the town of Porter, in said county and State, an absconding or concealed debtor, and the said trustees hereby notify all persons indebted to the said John Harrington to render an account of all debts and sums of money owing by them respectively, to said trustees, and to pay the same by the 10th day of October, 1870, at the law office of Joshua Gaskill, Esq., in the City of Lockport, N. Y.

And all persons having in their possession any property or effects of said John Harrington, are hereby notified to deliver the same to the said trustees, the said 10th day of October, 1870, at the said office of Joshua Gaskill, Esq.

And all the creditors of the said John Harrington are hereby notified to deliver to the said trustees accounts and demands to the said trustees, or one of them, by the said 10th day of October, 1870, at the said office of Joshua Gaskill, Esq.

Dated Lockport, N. Y., Aug. 19, 1870.

JOSHUA GASKILL, JOHN MCCOUN, WASHINGTON E. RANSOM, Trustees of the estate of John Harrington, an absconding or concealed debtor.

NOTICE.—SUPREME COURT.—IN THE matter of opening Ryndam-place, between Perrineville, Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owners, lessees of, and parties interested in any of the lands, tenements, and hereditaments taken or damaged by reason of the proceedings in said matter, to produce their title deeds, evidences of title, leases or any documents relative to their ownership of, or interest in, the premises, to the undersigned, at their office, No. 32 Nassau-street, (Room No. 42,) on any day prior to the 15th day of September, 1870, between the hours of 11 A. M. and 1 P. M., or in default thereof, the awards for damages, will be made to "Unknown Owners."—Dated Aug. 18, 1870.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by the death of Mr. GOTTFRIED KNOOP, our late partner, the firm of GOTTFRIED KNOOP, HANEMANN & CO., of the City of New-York, ceased on the 31st day of August, 1870.

The surviving members of said firm will continue the business under the firm name of KNOOP, HANEMANN & CO.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 1, 1870.

COPARTNERSHIP.—MR. WILLIAM H. CROGART and Mr. A. M. WILCOX have an interest in our business from this date.

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NEW-YORK, Sept. 6, 1870.

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MRS. GARRETSON'S ENGLISH AND FRENCH BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN, NO. 36 WEST 37TH-ST., will reopen TUESDAY, Sept. 20, 1870. Circulars may be obtained by application as above. Mrs. GARRETSON will be at home on and after Sept. 1.

MISS WHITCOMB'S, Successor to Miss HARRISON'S, English and French Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children, No. 49 Pierrepont-st., corner of Hicks-st., Brooklyn, L. I., Sept. 14, 1870. This school will reopen WEDNESDAY, Sept. 14, 1870. Address as above.

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MISS ARMSTRONG'S FRENCH AND ENGLISH BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN, No. 33 Madison-av., between 28th and 29th sts., Will reopen on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21. Address as above.

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MISS HINSDALE AND MRS. KEITH will continue MRS. MACAULAY'S BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN, NOS. 275 and 277 MADISON-AV. The school will open Sept. 21. The Professors and teachers heretofore connected with it will be retained. Address as above.

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HARTFORD FEMALE SEMINARY. THE FALL TERM of this school opens on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 14. MISS CATHARINE E. BEECHER, Principal, assisted by Prof. and Mrs. H. B. STOWE. For circulars and further information please address Mrs. H. B. STOWE, Principal of Hartford Female Seminary Hartford, Conn.

UNDERCLIFF INSTITUTE, COLD SPRING.—Mr. MORRIS and Miss PICKERSGILL will reopen TUESDAY, Sept. 20. Parents desiring to send their daughters are requested to apply for circulars at the office of the *Home Journal*, Park-place, New-York.

ENGLISH AND CLASSICAL SCHOOL for the Church of the Transfiguration, East 29th-st., between Madison and 5th ave. Rev. G. H. HOUGHTON, D. D., Rector; Rev. G. C. HOUGHTON, M. A., Head Master. REOPENS MONDAY, Sept. 12. For circulars, &c., apply as above.

MISSES E. E. CLARKSON AND J. E. BUSH, (graduate of Vassar College,) having and experience in teaching, will open a French and English Boarding and Day School for young ladies at Elizabeth, N. J., Sept. 14. For circulars address the Principals, Woodbridge, N. J., until after Sept. 5.

THE RIVERDALE INSTITUTE.—A Boarding school for young ladies, reopens Tuesday, Sept. 20. Address for particulars, Mrs. CORNELIA MCVICKAR MILLER, Principal, Riverdale, Hudson. Circulars at Appleton's, No. 90 Grand-st.

PROF. AND MRS. G. P. BURNHAM'S Boarding and Day School for young ladies, at Grove Hall, New-Haven, Conn. (established in 1826,) will reopen Sept. 21. Address as above for circulars and information.

MRS. ROBERTS AND MISS WALKER'S French and English and French School for young ladies, No. 148 Madison-av., on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21.

MRS. MARY RODGERS GRIFFITTS' French and English Day School for young ladies and children, at No. 126 West 23d-st., will be reopened on MONDAY, Sept. 26.

MISS WALSH'S ENGLISH AND FRENCH School for young ladies and children, No. 34 East 22d-st., near Madison-av., will reopen THURSDAY, Sept. 22.

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THE MISSES ROGERS' ENGLISH and French School for young ladies and children, No. 253 West 23d-st., will be reopened Monday, Sept. 19.

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FAIRVIEW INSTITUTE FOR YOUNG Ladies, South Orange, N. J., reopens Sept. 12. Miss E. A. HAMMEKEN, Principal.

MISS RANNEY'S BOARDING AND Day School for young ladies, Elizabeth, N. J., will reopen on WEDNESDAY, Sept. 21.

MISS HALLOW'S ENGLISH AND FRENCH SCHOOL for young ladies, No. 34 East 22d-st., will reopen on THURSDAY, Sept. 22.

MISS SARAH SEDGWICK'S SCHOOL for boys will open Sept. 15 at No. 1,186 Broadway, between 29th and 30th sts.

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To the Honorable the Controller of the Currency, Washington, D. C.:
SIR: It is hereby certified, in pursuance of section 43 of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, that at a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of St. Louis, located at the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, duly notified and held pursuant to law and the articles of association of said bank, at the office of said bank, at St. Louis aforesaid, on the 16th day of July, 1870, it was voted by the stockholders of the said association, owning more than two-thirds of the stock, that said association go into liquidation and to closed on the 16th day of July, 1870.
In testimony whereof I have, by instruction of the Board of Directors of said association, hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of the association, at St. Louis, aforesaid, the day and year above written.
[Seal.] CHRISTIAN FISCHBACH, Cashier.
NOTICE.—The First National Bank of St. Louis, organized under the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for a national currency secured by a pledge of United States bonds, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3, 1864, located at the City of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, is closing its affairs. All stockholders and other creditors of said association are therefore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment.
CHRISTIAN FISCHBACH, Cashier.
St. Louis, Mo., July 16, 1870.

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DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA AND WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 20 EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK, Aug. 30, 1870.
NOTICE—TRANSFER-BOOKS WILL BE closed from this date until 20th September prox. By order of the Board of Managers.
A. J. ODELL, Treasurer.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFER FOR sale at 90, $50,000 Peoria City Water 7 per cent Gold Bonds.
The population of the city is about 26,000. The debt is about $260,000, and cannot, by the terms of the new Constitution of the State of Illinois, just adopted, be increased.
The valuation of the taxable property of Peoria is $12,000,000. The water-works are in successful operation, and the revenue derived from them is specially pledged to the payment, principal and interest, of these bonds.
The obligations of the city have always been prompt. As such. For further particulars apply to
CLARK, DODGE & CO., No. 51 Wall-st.

BENNETHUM RUN PETROLEUM COMPANY.—NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bennethum Run Petroleum Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 52 Broadway, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of September, 1870, between the hours of 11 and 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing Trustees to act for the ensuing year; also to elect three Inspectors of election.
Trustees' books will be closed from the 5th to the 19th of September.—Dated September, 1870.
JAMES MCMASTER, Secretary.

SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS ISSUED and payable by the County of Westchester; first-class investment. Apply to R. J. HAMES, No. 61 Broadway.

FINANCIAL.

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FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.
Principal and Interest Payable in Gold.

The First Mortgage Eight Per Cent. Gold Bonds of the ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER CITY RAILROAD COMPANY are for sale by the undersigned. Price, 97½ and Interest. The amount of Bonds issued is $1,200,000 on 111 miles of road, of which 80 miles are completed, and the grading of the balance finished, while the iron and materials are on the track to complete it.

This road, completed and about being finished, together with rolling-stock, lands, property of every description, and franchise, is mortgaged to the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company in trust for the security of these bonds. This property has a value more than double the amount of this mortgage. The net earnings of the Company are constantly on the increase, and are in excess of the amount required to pay the interest on these bonds. The payment of the interest and principal is therefore fully secured. The bonds are in denominations of $1,000 and $500. Interest payable semi-annually in New-York, London or Frankfort on the Main. We unhesitatingly recommend them, and will furnish maps and pamphlets upon application.

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NO. 54 PINE-ST.
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OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK,
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DARIUS S. MANGAM, President.
S. L. SOLOMON, Vice-President. HENRY P. FANCHERE, Second Vice-President.
JAMES MERRILL, Secretary.

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JOHN PATON, } Agents.
ARCH'D MCKINLAY, }

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Pacific Railroad of Missouri are hereby notified to attend a special meeting at the office of the Company, No. 49 Exchange-place, Room No. 15, on MONDAY, Sept. 12, 1870, at 3 o'clock P. M. By order of the Board of Directors.
GEORGE W. ABBE, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 15, 1870.
THE COUPONS OF THE MONTGOMERY and Eufaula Railroad First Mortgage Eight Per Cent. Gold Bonds, indorsed by the State of Alabama, due on Sept. 1, 1870, will be paid on and after that date on presentation at the Banking-house of GEO. OPDYKE & CO., No. 2 Nassau-st., New-York.
T. L. MOUNT, Treasurer.

THE COUPONS DUE OCT. 1, ON Arkansas State Bonds issued to railroad companies, will be paid on and after that date on presentation at the banking-house of Furnham, Gilbert & Co., No. 3 Wall-st.
D. B. SICKELS,
Financial Agent State of Arkansas.

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And on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock.

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W. S. WESTCOTT, S. S. CHAPIN, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents. T. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of FRANK PLATT, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Frank Platt, in said district, duly adjudged a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts, and other claims provable under said act, and that the 17th day of September, 1870, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of Hilgard Ketchum, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, No. 48 Nassau-st., in the City of New-York, is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors who have proved their debts may attend at the interest, may attend, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.—Dated New-York, the 20th day of August, 1870.
GEORGE F. BETTS, Clerk.
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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of HENRY B. BUNSTER, Bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Henry B. Bunster, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 48 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 22d day of September, A. D. 1870, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of John Fitch, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy in said Court.
GEORGE H. SHARPE, Marshal.—Messenger.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States—Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of BENJAMIN LODER, bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given to all creditors and other persons interested, that the third meeting of creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of James P. Lovejoy, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, in charge of said district, No. 4 Nassau-st., Room No. 3, in said City of New-York, in said district, on the 16th day of September, 1870, and at 12 o'clock noon of said day, for the purpose specified in the twenty-second section of the bankrupt act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved March 2, 1867.
RICHARD WARREN, Assignee.
THOMPSON BANGS, Attorney, No. 31 Park-row.

BOARDING AND LODGING.

No. 234 EAST TWELFTH-ST.—A fine suite of rooms on second floor, furnished, suitable for gentlemen, or a gentleman and wife, with or without board; location desirable. References required.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—TO A few gentlemen, in a private family, at No. 6 East 15th-st., between 4th-av. and Broadway; references exchanged.

A PRIVATE FAMILY, IN 17TH-ST., near 6th-av., desire to rent one or two freshly-furnished rooms, with or without breakfast, to a single gentleman. Address F. C., Box No. 114 Times Office.

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SAN DOMINGO.

Cabral—False Reports—Annexation—Effects of the European War—Items.

From Our Own Correspondent.

SAN DOMINGO CITY, Sunday, Aug. 28, 1870.

CABRAL, the revolutionary leader, has been heard from again, but his fortunes have fallen so low that it is not likely he will give much more trouble to the Government. About two weeks ago, with not quite one hundred followers, he appeared at the Haytian frontier, near Dayabon, but the authorities of that place in three days raised a force of 1,100 men to oppose him, upon which he quickly retired without having had the opportunity of doing any mischief. The promptitude with which the Dominicans responded to the call to take up arms against CABRAL in this case, must convince him that his cause is now perfectly hopeless, and it is not believed here that he will make any further efforts at revolution. It is reported that PRESENTAL, another of the gang who have, in past times, so greatly disturbed the peace of the country, has been shot by a native on the frontier. With the exception of the above *fiasco* of CABRAL'S, nothing has occurred since my last to threaten the tranquility which now prevails over the whole country.

A FALSE REPORT.

It has caused much surprise in this city to hear that it is reported abroad that President BAEZ is in communication with several Haytian exiles of the Salnave Party, and that he will give them his aid in an attempt to overthrow the Government of President SAGET. There is the best authority for saying that the whole statement is a pure fabrication. During the civil war in Hayti, which ended in SALNAVE'S downfall, BAEZ, although personally friendly to SALNAVE, observed the strictest neutrality; and it is not likely that he would, under present circumstances, give aid and comfort to the men whom he abstained from helping when they were fighting the rebels, now the triumphant party. If the Haytians will let BAEZ alone, depend upon it he will not trouble them or give them cause for complaint. The relations between the two Republics continue to be friendly.

ANNEXATION.

The question of annexation to the United States is still discussed here with much interest. The anxiety of the Dominicans to see the project consummated is as great as ever—perhaps greater, a consequence of the disappointment they have experienced—and the hope is cherished that by the next meeting of Congress many of the members who opposed annexation will have become friendly to the measure, as a consequence of having had opportunity of acquainting themselves more fully with the real merits of the case. The Secretary of the Interior announces the satisfactory progress of the Geological Survey under the direction of Prof. GABB, late of the California State Survey. He states that much information interesting to the scientific world may be looked for from the result of the labors of Prof. GABB, and it is confidently hoped that the rich mineral districts of San Domingo will soon be in a condition to invite capital and enterprise from abroad.

EFFECTS OF THE WAR.

The industrial interests of the country are in a prosperous state, although the Franco-Prussian war is having an injurious effect upon business, as the trade of San Domingo is principally with the ports of Northern Germany, to which nearly all the tobacco raised here is shipped. This being so, the progress of the war is watched here with deep interest and anxiety. The tobacco crop of the North Side this year will exceed one hundred and twenty thousand cerrons. As a proof of the increasing ability of the people to purchase, it may be stated that the import duties at Port-au-Platte, the principal shipping port on the North Side, for the six months ending June 30, 1870, reached the unprecedented sum of two hundred and ninety thousand dollars.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Gen. HUNGRIA, the Secretary of War, has obtained temporary furlough, on account of his health, which has been failing for some time past. He remains at the capital. Among the passengers leaving today in the steamer for New-York, is Señor GONZALES, the Collector of Customs at Port-au-Platte. He is among the warmest supporters of the annexation project. At Samana all is quiet. The United States vessels *Seaforth* and *Nantasscit* are at that place. Their crews are in excellent health. The public health is good.

LARCENY OF GOLD.

Serious Charge Against Hotel Proprietors—Nearly $50,000 Alleged to Have Been Taken from an Insane East Indian.

A Parsee, named BOMANGEE BYRAMJEE COLAH, belonging to Bombay, East India, arrived in this City on the 3d of May last on board of the steamer *City of Brooklyn*. He went to the Fifth-avenue Hotel, but his conduct at that place was so eccentric that he was requested to leave after having been there a short time. He then engaged board at another large hotel, having in his possession, when he went there, ten boxes of British sovereigns, nine of which contained 2,000 each, and the other one 900, together with several documents and papers of value. On the 8th June, he was arrested for having created a disturbance at Niblo's Theatre, and an investigation developed the fact that he was of unsound mind, and quite unfit to control his own affairs, after which he was sent to Bellevue Hospital. The British Consul, on the 28th June, made application through the Court of Common Pleas for a Commission to inquire into the case, which was granted, but owing to vexatious opposition on the part of the proprietors of the hotel, as alleged, witnesses were not examined until the 14th July, when the jury arrived at the verdict that the unfortunate gentleman was really of unsound mind—and the Court accordingly appointed Colonel JOHN MATHANIEL JARVIS, Esq., Jr., committee of estate.

Pending these proceedings, and after they had been duly served with notice of the action of the Court, the owners of the hotel, it is alleged, took the boxes of specie, and, on the 10th of June, deposited them in their own name in the Stuyvesant Deposit Company, receiving their check, on the 10th of July, to the wine-room at their place, where they were forcibly broken open, and their contents removed up-stairs to the safe; the empty boxes being burned. On the following day 9,000 sovereigns were sold to Messrs. TREVOR & COMGAN, who gave in exchange their check, payable to the proprietors for the currency value, amounting to $49,555. On the 12th of July, 1,900 sovereigns were also sold by VERMILYE & Co., bankers, on account of the same persons the currency value, $48,500, being deposited with VERMILYE & Co. to their credit. Two days after this, one of their clerks swore before the Commissioner that the money deposited with VERMILYE & Co. was all the funds belonging to the Parsee, excepting a few loose sovereigns which had been retained to meet certain debts. The funds in VERMILYE'S hands were accordingly transferred to the committee of estate by Mr. JARVIS.

On Mr. JARVIS' subsequent application at the hotel for any letters or papers calculated to throw light on the past history or antecedents of the lunatic, he was informed, it is said, that there were none whatever excepting a couple of blank memorandum books, which were given up, and in one of which was found a bill of lading for ten boxes, containing £18,960 in gold, besides valuable papers, shipped at Liverpool by B. B. COLAH, per steam-ship *City of Brooklyn*. Inquiry at the Inman Company's office led to the finding of Mr. COLAH'S receipt for his ten boxes of gold.

Proceedings have been commenced against the hotel owners for the recovery of the money standing in their name in the United States Trust Company, and for the valuable papers contained in one of the boxes, and also for the damages sustained by the lunatic's estate in the illegal sale of his goods.

Mr. PIERREPONT EDWARDS, Mr. JARVIS and another gentleman well known in literary circles in New-York, and who, from his personal acquaintance with Mr. COLAH'S family and his knowledge of the Mahratta language, has been appointed by the Court, lay counsel and *amicus curiæ*—have communicated with the lunatic's friends in Bombay about the case, and have received full instructions by telegraph. The impending investigation will no doubt bring forth some spicy and interesting developments. Meanwhile public opinion should not be settled against the defendants, whose character for integrity has never been doubted for one moment. Their explanation of the case may put an entirely different aspect upon it.

Arrest of a Concert Troupe Agent.

In the year 1869, THEODORE THOMAS, the well-known musical director, after having concluded a successful tour through some of the Western States, returned to this City. During the trip A. R. CAMERON acted as the advertising agent of this troupe, known as the Gosenho and Thomas Concert Troupe. On its return, Cameron deserted, took over the route [illegible] and called on parties [illegible] as its friends. He then, it is alleged, represented that the troupe disbanded against his will, and that he had secured the hall in each place in which they had previously stopped. [illegible] however. He always found [illegible] funds, and felt himself compelled to borrow of these friends until the arrival of the troupe. He was successful in Buffalo, where he [illegible] $200 from HUGH CORNIER and ROSANA [illegible].

A warrant was subsequently issued for his arrest and sent to this City and placed in the hands of Detectives THOMAS and EUSTACE, of the Central Office force, who accompanied him at noon yesterday, and locked him up at No. 39 Vesey-street. He was arraigned before Police Head-quarters.

DISTRESSING CATASTROPHE.

Fall of a Foot-Bridge at Tom's River, New-Jersey—Eight Long Branch Excursionists Drowned—Rescue of a Large Number of Others.

A dispatch was received, yesterday afternoon, from Tom's River, New-Jersey, giving particulars of a terrible accident that occurred to a party of Long Branch excursionists at that place. It appears that the party left the train at the depot and commenced crossing the strip of water that lies between the hotel and depot on a bridge built for the use of pedestrians. Over eighty persons were on the bridge en route to the hotel when the light structure gave way, precipitating them into the water. The party were submerged in twenty feet of water, with timbers and boards surrounding them. The shrieks of women and children continued their operations which were not on foot to rescue them. About seventy persons managed to escape by means of help extended to them. Eight of the party were drowned, the most of them having been carried down under the falling timbers. The following are the names of the drowned: James Martin, Mrs Alfaretta Martin, Peter Howland, Mary E. Styles, Mary Martin, Helen Lane, Mrs. Sidney Throckmorton, Ella Maple.

A dispatch from Trenton, last night, states that the bodies were carried to Long Branch, after a Coroner's jury had been summoned.

The Fight at Havana.

Yesterday morning the prisoners taken into custody on suspicion of having been concerned in the affray in Bayonne, in which JOSEPH SCULLY, or "Scullion," was fatally injured, were discharged by Justice LEMON, of Jersey City, twenty-one without penalty, and three upon payment of fines of $10 each for disorderly conduct. The latter included DANIEL BURNS, President of the Osceola Club, MCCLARTHY and ANTHONY DUNLEARY, who were identified as having taken part in the affray. It appears from the statement of JOHN MCDONNELL, proprietor of the Bayonne Grove House that the members of the club were drinking beer in his house, when BURNS and SCULLY engaged in a dispute concerning the payment. Finally, one JAMES MCCALL took the part of BURNS, and a fight ensued between him and SCULLY, in which the latter was out on his arm and across his throat with a razor. A general fight followed, in which MCCALL was knocked down with a slung-shot. He finally escaped, however, to Staten Island, and has not since been seen. The saloon was badly damaged.

Explosion of Tug-Boat—Three Lives Lost.

On Wednesday evening the tug-boat *Red Jacket* took in tow two coal-barges at New-Brunswick, and during the night proceeded toward New-York. At 2 o'clock, while opposite Perth Amboy, the boiler of the tug exploded, tearing the boat to pieces, and killing three men. ROBERT BROWN, the pilot, was hurled into the air, and his body torn to pieces. The engineer DANIEL THOMAS, of South Amboy, and a fireman named STRONG, were almost instantly killed by flying fragments of the iron and wood work. Three of the deck hands, though not known to have been killed, have not been seen, and it is supposed that they also are lost. The cause assigned for the accident is that the boiler was almost entirely empty, and upon its being filled with water exploded. The loss to the owners of the boat will probably be about $25,000 or $30,000.

Union of the Fenian Organizations.

Previous to the adjournment of the Ninth National Convention of the Fenian Brotherhood, a committee was appointed, consisting of Col. JOHN O'MAHONY, of New-York; EDWARD M. SWEENEY, of St. Louis, Mo., and EDWARD CONNIHAN, of Boston, for the purpose of conferring with Gen. JOHN O'NEILL in regard to a basis of union with his branch of the Fenian organization.

The Committee proceeded to Windsor, and after an interview with Gen. O'NEILL the following agreement was made:

WINDSOR FRENCH, Sept. 7, 1870.

Agreement made between Gen. JOHN O'NEILL, on behalf of himself and the Fenian Organization, of which he is President, and Col. JOHN O'MAHONY, EDWARD M. SWEENEY, and EDWARD CONNIHAN, a committee appointed by the Ninth National Convention, Fenian Brotherhood, on behalf of the organization, presided over by Chief Executive JOHN SAVAGE:

First.—That the said Gen. JOHN O'NEILL accepts the Constitution of the Fenian Brotherhood as presided over by Chief Executive JOHN SAVAGE, as the Constitution of the United Fenian Brotherhood.

Second.—That the said Gen. JOHN O'NEILL agrees, on the part of himself and the organization of which he is President, to have power to nominate two members of the Council, one of which shall be an Auditor, or to accept a position in the Council himself, as one of its members.

Third.—That this agreement between the parties above named is made with the earnest hope that it will tend to the union of all Irish nationalists for the common cause of Ireland's independence.

(Signed.) JOHN O'NEILL,
JOHN O'MAHONY,
EDWARD C. CONNIHAN,
EDWARD M. SWEENEY.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

The Common Council appears to be unable to get together since their vacation. Yesterday, after waiting nearly an hour, and no quorum appearing in either Board, both Boards adjourned to next week. The Board of Assistant Aldermen have got to act on the resolution to put patent burners and reflectors on every public lamp in the City.

The children and friends of the Dover-street Mission School enjoyed a picnic up the Hudson River to Fort Lee, yesterday. They assembled at the Mission-house, corner of Dover and Water streets, in the morning, and marched down to Peck-slip, headed by a band of music. They subsequently went on board of the *Thos. E. Hulse*, which had been engaged to convey the party on the trip. Several children belonging to the Howard Mission united with the party, which was under the direction of Mr. RICHARDSON and other gentlemen connected with the Mission.

A meeting of the Saleswomen's Early Closing Association was held at Plimpton Building, last evening, at which it was decided to call a mass-meeting of the lady clerks in the City. A committee consisting of Miss Netta, Miss Brown, Mrs. Dunne, Mr. Wettenbecher, Mr. Heuchton and Mr. Kohn, was appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

Last evening, at 7½ o'clock, the window curtains of S. PINNER'S sitting-room, at No. 726 Lexington-avenue, caught fire from the gas-lights, and damaged about $300 worth of property. The flames were finally extinguished by Alderman FARLEY and Policeman MAGEL. No insurance.

THOMAS LEARY, an Irish laborer, residing at No. 34 Oak-street, fell dead at the office of the Commissioners of Charities and Correction, yesterday. His body was taken home, and the Coroner was notified.

BROOKLYN.

The Committee of Supervisors appointed to confer with the Board of State Assessors, returned yesterday, from Albany. They report that through their representations a reduction of $14,326,000 will be made in the valuation of the city property. This will leave the valuation of real estate and personal property at $194,106,451.

About 2 o'clock yesterday morning Policeman MARTIN, of the Third Precinct, while patrolling at the corner of Atlantic and Columbia-streets, was brutally beaten by two roughs, for having arrested a friend of theirs named TRAVIS, for drunkenness. One of the assailants, named NAGL, was subsequently apprehended, but the other was not to be found. NAGL was sent to the penitentiary for six months. TRAVIS got ten days for being intoxicated.

The Sons of Cambria, a Welsh society belonging to New-York, enjoyed a picnic at Myrtle-avenue Park, yesterday. The Fourteenth Regiment band furnished music, and a large number of persons took part in dancing. The Gwalia and Glandwr Glee Clubs were present, and entertained the company with some fine singing.

MICHAEL BRENNAN, residing on Pacific-street, near Willow-street, was sentenced to State Prison for seven years, by Justice TROY, yesterday, for having stabbed RICHARD HARRIGAN on the 20th of June last. The complainant is a brother-in-law of the prisoner. BRENNAN ill-treated his wife, and HARRIGAN interposed to stop it, when he was wounded.

A fire broke out, at an early hour yesterday morning, at the house of CHAUNCEY M. FELT, at No. 87 Mill-street. The building formed one of a row of five wooden structures, all of which were destroyed before the flames were extinguished. The following is a list of the losses, so far as ascertained: No. 87, owned by CHAUNCEY M. FELT, and occupied by Mrs. SHELLY. Loss on house about $1,500; insured for $1,000 in the Howard Insurance. Loss on furniture, $100; no insurance. No. 85 Mill-street, owned by Mr. BREKIN, and occupied by JOSEPH SCHW. Loss on furniture, $975; no insurance. The upper floor was occupied by WM. GEORGE, who lost $100 on furniture; not insured. No. 83 Mill-street, owned by JOHN SQUIRES, and occupied by JOHN MILLS. Loss on house $1,500, and on furniture $200; no insurance. No. 81, owned by JOHN BRENNAN, was insured in the Brooklyn Insurance Company for $1,000, and Mr. BRENNAN loses on furniture $500; no insurance. The top floor was occupied by A. SMITH, who loses on furniture $600; no insurance. No. 79 Mill-street was owned by JOHN JUDLEY, and was insured for $4,000 in the Nassau Insurance Company. It was occupied as a store by JOHN CALHOUN, whose loss on stock amounts to $1,000; no insurance.

Judge TROY publicly complained, yesterday, about the small number of policemen detailed to preserve order in the Court of Sessions. He threatened to suspend business and to lay the matter before the Grand Jury, unless more men were sent to the Court by the Police Board.

Coroner JONES held an inquest, yesterday afternoon, on the body of JOHN FARLEY, who was kicked to death a few days ago, by a horse belonging to the stable of Dr. FORD, in Union-street. A verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts.

The inmates confined in the county institutions at Flatbush number 2,285.

LONG ISLAND.

At the Queens County Court of Special Sessions, JOSEPH EDEN, indicted for arson and highway robbery, pleaded guilty and was subsequently sentenced to imprisonment in the State Prison for seven years for the former crime, five years for the latter. EDEN, who was a workman for Mr. WARREN MITCHELL, of Manhasset, robbed a fellow-workman on the public road, and then fired the barn of his employer on account of some real or fancied insult. He was arrested the next morning at Little Neck depot. LUDWIG KNALL, indicted for grand larceny, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in State Prison. He was guilty of stealing harness, horse-blankets, &c. DAVID TOOKEY was tried on a charge of having stolen two horses, the property of Mr. J. T. FURMEN, but was found not guilty. He was subsequently convicted on an indictment accusing him of having stolen a horse belonging to A. E. TOMPKINS. He also pleaded guilty to another indictment. It was alleged that he was the leader of a gang of horse thieves in Queens County. He was sent to State Prison for five years on one indictment charging him with stealing from A. E. TOMPKINS, and to three years' imprisonment on another indictment. The Court then adjourned for the term, after disposing of several other cases.

Evidence was produced before Judge ARMSTRONG, of Queen's County, yesterday, in case of JAMES MOULTON, the man who was recently indicted for having leaped into the grave of JOHN REAL, the murderer, at Calvary Cemetery, for the purpose of showing that he was insane, and that he was not responsible for the act. Dr. Fabian Brown, testified that the prisoner was committed to the Insane Asylum in 1867. Dr. MOULTON was called as a witness, and pronounced the accused to be insane. Policeman HAMILTON, of New-York, then exhibited a commitment, showing that MOULTON had been sent to the Insane Asylum on Blackwell's Island. The prisoner was remanded to the custody of the officer, to be removed to New-York.

JOHN JACKSON, a farmer, at Good Ground, is claimed to be the oldest man in the State, being 115 years of age. He witnessed many of the events which occurred during the revolutionary struggle. His wife died two years ago at the ripe age of 99 years. He has had twelve children.

NEW-JERSEY.

Mr. SAMUEL SLOAN, President of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, and JAY GOULD, of the Erie Railway, have made a settlement of the "Bergen tunnel difficulty." The Erie has agreed to give the free use of the tunnel to all trains of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company. The Erie Company early in the Summer attempted to stop the traffic of the latter Company, and commenced a suit for the purpose of deciding the question of legal right.

The Hudson County Board of Freeholders met, yesterday, at the Court-house. The County Treasurer reported an expenditure of $209,000, after which there was $400,000 voted to meet the county expenses up to January next. A number of the members of the Boards of Freeholders of Union and Essex Counties were present for the purpose of conferring with the Hudson County Board in regard to the reform school measures. The apartments used as a lunatic asylum were reported to be overcrowded, and the Almshouse Committee was instructed to secure further accommodations.

An old man named CHRISTIAN SEYER was very seriously hurt Wednesday, being thrown from a load of furniture. He was driving under the Jersey-street Railroad Bridge in Newark at the time. He had three ribs broken, and sustained painful injuries about the head and breast. Dr. OSBORNE attended him, and he was removed to his home at No. 86 Union-street.

Commissioner HOFFMAN has discharged the steward of the *Cambria*, who was recently held, on a charge of mutiny, to await the requisition of the Consul of the North German Confederation. The Commissioner believed the charges to be made through malice.

The Fall term of the High School at Montclair opens with Mr. JOHN F. GROSS, late editor of the *Educational Journal*, as Principal.

The members of "Billy Pastor's" Minstrel troupe are very anxious to learn the whereabouts of GEORGE F. HARRISON, the agent of the company, who mysteriously disappeared on Saturday last. It is feared that he has lost his life.

The will of the late JOHN BRILL, representing an estate of $130,000, has been admitted to probate in Newark.

The fifth anniversary of the Sunday-school at Calvary Chapel, Pennsylvania-avenue, Newark, was celebrated on Wednesday evening. Rev. WALTER CONDICT is pastor of the chapel.

A young woman named MARY SALA, of No. 184 Mill-street, Newark, was caught under the right eye by the steam-elevator at CLARK'S dye-stuff factory, yesterday morning. A large portion of her face was torn off. Dr. HITCHCOCK dressed her wound.

An attempt was made on Wednesday evening to rob the house of Mr. LARY, on Summit-street, Jersey City.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Rear-Admiral Stephen C. Rowan has been appointed by the President Vice-Admiral, to take the place of Admiral FARRAGUT, promoted. Admiral Rowan is now on his way to this country from his late command of the United States Asiatic fleet. His commission as Vice-Admiral will be dated this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Commander Walter W. Queen has been detached from the Naval Rendezvous at Philadelphia, and ordered to the command of the receiving-ship Potomac. First Lieut. William H. Hemphill, of the Ninth Cavalry, and William T. Ditch, of the First Cavalry, have been honorably discharged, at their own request. Second Lieut. James Davison, of the Eleventh Infantry, and Lieut. H. Maloney, of the Fifteenth Infantry, have resigned.

The Navy Department has received dispatches from Commander A. Bankhead, commanding the United States steamer *Palos*, dated Suez Canal, Aug. 31, stating that he had safely passed through the canal. Thus the *Palos* is the first American vessel to carry the American flag through the Suez Canal.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—American Securities opened firm and stocks quiet; closed steady. It is declared here that there is no hope of a beneficial reaction in the Stock market so long as the Republican authorities at Paris "bluster war." The course of the markets during the day is indicated by the following table:

	11½ A. M.	1½ P. M.	5 P. M.
Consols for money	92	92	92
Consols for account	92	92⅛	92⅛
United States 5-20s of 1865	89	89⅛	89⅛
United States 5-20s of 1868, old	91⅛	..	91⅛
United States 5-20s of 1867	87⅛	..	87⅛
United States 10-40s	84⅛	..	84
Illinois Central R. R. Shares	112⅛	..	112⅛
Erie R. R. Shares	19⅛	..	19
Atl'tic and Gt. W. R. R. Shares	34	..	34

FRANKFORT, Sept. 7—Evening.—United States 5-20 Bonds closed steady at 90⅞ for the issue of 1862.

FRANKFORT, Sept. 8.—The market for American securities is excited. Five-twenties are quoted at 90⅞.

PARIS, Sept. 7.—The Bourse is decidedly firmer. The last price of Rentes was 52f. 40c.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 8—11½ A. M.—COTTON—The market opened heavy at the following quotations: Middling Uplands, 9⅛d.@9⅜d.; Middling Orleans, 9⅛d.@9⅜d. The sales of the day are estimated at 8,000 bales.

BREADSTUFFS—Corn, 35s. 6d. ⅌ quarter for European. 1½ P. M.—COTTON—The market is dull and prices have declined a fraction; Middling Uplands, 9⅛d.; Middling Orleans, 9⅛d. BREADSTUFFS—The market is dull. 5 P. M.—COTTON closed with a downward tendency; Middling Uplands, 9⅛d.; Middling Orleans, 9⅛d. The sales of the day have been 8,000 bales, including 1,000 for speculation and export. BREADSTUFFS—Corn, 35s. 6d. ⅌ quarter for European. PROVISIONS—Pork nominal. Beef nominal. Lard dull. PRODUCE—Common Rosin, 4s. 9d. ⅌ cwt.

LONDON, Sept. 7.—TALLOW, 44s. 3d.@44s. 6d. ⅌ cwt. CALCUTTA LINSEED dull at 63s.

LONDON, Sept. 8.—LINSEED-OIL firmer at £31 15s. ⅌ ton.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 8.—ASHES—Pots, 6,000 bbls.; Wheat, 117,700 bushels; Corn, 24,300 bushels; Oats, 22,400 bushels; Canal SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 78,200 bushels; Corn, 28,200 bushels; Oats, 97,300 bushels; Barley, 18,200 bushels. Railroad SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 11,100 bushels; Oats, 2,500 bushels; Corn, 1,600 bushels. FLOUR lower, little doing. WHEAT dull; No. 2 Spring, new, held at $1 08; buyers offer $1 05. CORN dull and lower; sales 8, bushels of No. 2 at 80c. OATS lower; sales 1,500 bushels of No. 2 Western at 40c. RYE—Canadian nominally held at 81c. BARLEY heavy and neglected. SEEDS heavy; small sales of Timothy at $3 38. PORK dull, $22 for heavy Mess. LARD dull, 16c.@16½c. HIGHWINES dropping, nominal at 90c. Canal FREIGHTS unchanged; Wheat, 10½c. on Corn, 7c. on Oats, to New-York. The CATTLE market opened with a better feeling this morning on the part of buyers, and good stock changed hands readily at the quotations of last week and this. Receipts brought $1 75@$4 40; Ohio, $3 [illegible]; one bunch of 1,000 Ohio steers, $3 [illegible]; Southern Ohio, brought $3 [illegible], and another bunch of 1,[illegible], averaging 1,[illegible] lbs., realizing $[illegible]; Indiana sold from $3 [illegible] and Illinois brought about the same figures. Texas cattle [illegible]. SHEEP have improved in price a little over yesterday's quotations, Canada Lambs averaging [illegible] lbs. sold at $7 [illegible] ⅌ cwt. The market is not up to its usual point for this class of stock. Of Western Sheep there is more of good quality in the market, and very little demanded. There is no chance to note in the HOG market, except a slight stiffness in regard to Kentucky selected.

CHICAGO, Sept. 8.—EXCHANGE, par. FREIGHTS, to Oswego. FLOUR unchanged. WHEAT quiet and lower at 93⅛c. for New No. 2, during the afternoon irregular at 94⅛c.@94½c. for No. 2, cash and seller last half this month; Corn quiet at 37⅛c.@38c. for No. 2; during the afternoon firm and quiet; No. 2 sold at 38⅛c.@38⅜c., cash and seller last half this month. OATS closed at 23½c.@23⅝c., cash. RYE quiet at 56c.@56½c. for No. 2. BARLEY firm at 61c. for No. 2. HOGS—WINES dull at 88c., in bond. Mess PORK weak at $22 50, cash; $22 50 seller December. LARD inactive and nominally 16½c. MEATS quiet at 12½c. for Dry Salted Shoulders; 14½c. for Smoked Sides; 14½c.@15c. for Short Rib Middles, loose. LARDS inactive; receipts large. HOGS unchanged. RECEIPTS—7,200 bbls. Flour; 82,000 bushels Wheat; 39,000 bushels Corn; 6,000 bushels Oats; 4,000 bushels Rye; 3,000 bushels Barley; 4,300 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—2,300 bbls. Flour; 108,200 bushels Wheat; 71,000 bushels Corn; 14,000 bushels Oats; 1,000 bushels Rye; 481,000 bushels Barley; 4,000 Hogs.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 8.—COTTON dull; Middling nominally 15½c. FLOUR dull, and 10c. lower for buyers; Howard-street Superfine, $5 50@$6; do. Extra, $6@$7; do. Family, $7 25@$8 25; City Mills Superfine, $5 75@$6 75; do. Extra, $6@$7 25; do. Family, $7 50@$8. WHEAT steady; sales prime to choice Amber Maryland at $1 35@$1 40; fair to good Maryland Red, $1 25@$1 30; Common do., $1 20@$1 22; White Wheat, $1 40@$1 60; Winter Red Western, $1 25@$1 28; Amber Western, $1 30. CORN firmer; Maryland White, nominally 80c.@90c.; Yellow do., 80c.@90c.; Mixed Western, 68c. OATS stronger at 50c.@52c. RYE, 75c.@80c. PROVISIONS active and very firm. Mess PORK, nominally $22 50. BACON—Rib Sides, 17½c.@17¾c.; Clear Rib, 19c.; Shoulders, 15c.@15½c. HAMS, 20c.@22c. LARD, 17c. WHISKY very quiet and slightly lower at 94c.@94½c.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 8.—TOBACCO steady and unchanged. COTTON firm at 15c.@15½c. for Middling. FLOUR—Extra Family, $4 25@$4 50; Double Extra, $5@$5 25; Triple Extra, $5 50@$6. WHEAT declining; No. 2 Spring, 93c.; No. 2 at 92c.; No. 3 Red Fall, $1 02@$1 05; extra do., $1 10@$1 12; No. 2 do., $1 [illegible]; No. 1 do., $1 [illegible]. CORN heavy; Mixed, 34c.@35c.; Yellow, 34c.; White, 35c. OATS dull and unchanged. BARLEY dull; No. 2 at 80c.@90c.; Choice, $1@$1 02. RYE declining; sales at 65c.@66c. WHISKEY dull at 88c. PORK lower; Mess, $22 50. BACON firm; Shoulders, 14½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 17c.@17½c.; Clear Sides, 18½c. LARD, 16½c. HEMP steady; Dew, 9½c.@10c.; Tow, 6½c.@7½c. HAMS, 20c.@22c. LARD, 17c. WHISKY very quiet and slightly lower at 94c.@94½c.

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CINCINNATI, Sept. 8.—FLOUR dull and nominal; Family, $4@$4 25. WHEAT dull and declining; Red Winter, $1 07@$1 12. CORN dull at 42c.@43c. OATS dull at 25c.@26c.; supply large. RYE, 72c.@80c. BARLEY firm at $1 [illegible]@$1 27 for Fall; $1@$1 10 for Spring. COTTON dull and unchanged. WHISKY dull and declining; no buyers better than 90c.@94c. Mess PORK lower and unsettled; offered at $22 75 at the close, with no buyers. LARD dull at 15½c. Bulk MEATS quiet and weak at 12½c. for Shoulders; 14c. for Clear Ribs. BACON in limited demand; Shoulders sold at 14½c.@14¾c.; Sides at 16½c.@16c. for Clear Rib and Clear. Sugar-cured HAMS, 18c.@20c. EXCHANGE firm and unchanged.

LOUISVILLE, Sept. 8.—BAGGING unchanged. HEMP and FLAX, 12c.@22½c. COTTON heavy; Middling, 15c. FLOUR heavy; $5 25 for Extra Family. GRAIN weak and unchanged. PROVISIONS firm. Mess PORK, $23. HAMS, 20c.@22c. BACON—Shoulders, 14½c.; Clear Rib Sides, 17½c.; Clear Sides, 18½c. LARD, 16½c. WHISKY steady; Bbls., 90c.@91c.; Hhds., 90c.; Sales 116 bbls. at $2 [illegible] 75 for trash; $[illegible] 75 for common to good Lugs; $[illegible] for low to good Leaf.

TOLEDO, Sept. 8.—FLOUR dull. WHEAT declining; No. 1 Red, $1 19; No. 2 Red, $1 04½. CORN dull and lower; No. 1, 37½c.; No. 2, 38c. OATS dull and lower; No. 1, 27½c.; No. 2, 26c. PROVISIONS firm and unchanged. RECEIPTS—Flour, 3,200 bbls.; Wheat, 23,000 bushels; Corn, 1,600 bushels; Oats, 18,000 bushels. Sales—Wheat, 17,000 bushels; Corn, 1,000 bushels; Oats, 22,000 bushels; Oats, 7,000 bushels.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8.—FLOUR quiet; Superfine, $5@$5 25; Extras, $5 75@$6. WHEAT quiet; Indiana Red, $1 [illegible]@$1 37. RYE, 82c. CORN active and firmer; Western Yellow, 83c.; Pennsylvania, 85c. OATS firm; 50c.@52c. for Southern. PROVISIONS unchanged. PETROLEUM firmer; Crude, 16½c.; Refined, 28½c. WHISKY, 95c. for Western in iron.

ALBANY, Sept. 8.—WHEAT in good demand for choice; other grades neglected. RYE dull. CORN opened firm and closed steady; sales, 1 cargo Canada Old and New State on private terms; 1 do. sold at 85c. OATS steady at $1 [illegible]. Oats steady at 35c.@36c. for New State.

MEMPHIS, Sept. 8.—COTTON quiet at 15c.@15½c.; receipts, 211 bales; exports, 384 bales. FLOUR dull at $5@$6. CORN, 45c.@50c. OATS dull at 40c.@45c. HAY dull at $20@$22. BACON dull; Shoulders, 14½c.@15c.; Sides, 17½c.@18½c.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 8.—WHEAT dull and declined 2c.; No. 1 Red, $1 12; No. 2 Red nominally $1 11. CORN heavy; No. 1 Ohio, 47c.; No. 2, 45c. OATS declining; sales at 40c. PETROLEUM heavy; Crude, 16 40; Refined, 30c.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 8.—Spirits of TURPENTINE steady at 35½c. Common Rosins firm. Crude TURPENTINE firm at $2.—Hard, $1 [illegible]@$1 [illegible]. TAR lower, 1,[illegible]. COTTON steady.

GALVESTON, Sept. 8.—COTTON very dull and nominal, and accurate quotations cannot be given; Good Ordinary, 14½c. Office sales, 35 bales; net receipts, 27 bales; stock, 4,[illegible] bales.

NEW-ORLEANS, Sept. 8.—COTTON dull and tending down; Middling, 15½c.; sales, 600 bales; net receipts, 59 bales; coastwise, 174 bales; total, 233 bales; stock, 17,277 bales.

BOSTON, Sept. 8.—COTTON quiet and steady; Middling, 16c.@16½c.; sales, 300 bales; net receipts, 64 bales; coastwise, 421 bales; total, 485 bales; stock, 2,400 bales.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 8.—COTTON dull and tending down; Middling, 15½c.; sales, 50 bales; net receipts, coastwise, 13 bales; stock, 600 bales.

MOBILE, Sept. 8.—COTTON dull; Middling, 17½c.@17¾c.; sales, 250 bales; net receipts, 62 bales; exports, coastwise, 327 bales; stock, 10,[illegible] bales.

AUGUSTA, Ga., Sept. 8.—COTTON—The market was active to fill orders, but easier, at 17½c.@17¾c.; sales, 383 bales; receipts, 148 bales.

NORFOLK, Sept. 8.—COTTON unchanged; Low Middling, 17½c.; net receipts, 70 bales; exports, coastwise, 131 bales; stock, 325 bales.

DETROIT, Sept. 8.—WHEAT declining; Extra, $1 21; No. 1, $1 20@$1 22; Amber, $1 18; Regular, $1. CORN—No. 1, 75c. OATS declining; Western, 30c. BARLEY dull.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 8.—COTTON active; Middling, 17½c.@17¾c.; sales, 400 bales; net receipts, 736 bales; stock, 4,022 bales.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 8.—COTTON quiet and easy; Middling, 16c.; sales, 50 bales; net receipts, 440 bales; stock, 3,[illegible] bales.

[Advertisement.]

OUT.—KNOX'S Fall style of gents' hats. Enough said.

Weather Report.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 8—6 A. M.

Place.	Wind.		Weather.	Ther.
Port Hastings	N.		Cloudy	63
Halifax	E.		Clear	59
Portland	N. E.		Clear	60
Boston	N. E.		Clear	66
Hartford	N. E.		Clear	66
New-York	N. E.		Clear	69
Philadelphia	N. W.		Clear	70
Wilmington	E.		Cloudy	73
Washington	N. E.		Cloudy	72
Fortress Monroe	N. E.		Cloudy	73
Richmond	S. E.		Cloudy	74
Charleston	N. E.	E.	Clear	79
Savannah	N. E.	E.	Clear	79
Augusta	N. E.		Clear	74
Savage	S.		Clear	84
Buffalo	S.		Clear	76
Pittsburg	S.	W.